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GOODBYES are difficult, readers, especially when you know it's for good. After seven years at FRONT magazine this is my final issue. It's been an awesome ride. I started off as workie scum, making tea, getting bollocked for leaving the milk out, and somehow I ended up as boss.

I've met some proper special people along the way, people that I can honestly say are friends and not just workmates. And then there's you horrible lot. Your messages have kept me and the team going, and given us the faith to put inked-up girls and fucked-up music in the mag when the haters said it would never work. But haters gonna hate, while the rest of us have enjoyed being part of the greatest magazine to have ever graced planet Earth.

Don't fear though, I leave the mag in capable and adequately sweaty hands, with arty man Steve taking on the torch of FRONT awesomeness, but for me it's goodbye. I love you all.

JOE BARNES, EDITOR

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BELGIAN FESTY BOOZE-UP

Alongside our mates at Etnies, FRONT took on Groezrock, the first overseas festival of the season, armed with the jaw-flooringly awesome Lora Leigh and inky fitty Arabella. Check out the video footage on *frontarmy.com*, before the police remove it as evidence.





IRON MAN

See what we did, here? Cos, like, he's ironing clothes, and can you hear that music? It's Iron Man by Ozzy Osbourne. We're funny like that. People laughed for a good four seconds at that.

LYING DOWN ON THE JOBLING

Imagine our utter surprise as we gazed out of the office window one sunny May afternoon and saw that our advertising manager had turned our roof terrace into a kind of topless, homoerotic library. It's not a big look, Steve, but if you do insist on this kind of activity, save it for your own garden, yeah?

FRONT HIT THE ALPS

Cooler than a polar bear in a backwards cap this month was The Brits, a beer-drenched alpine extreme sports comp out in Switzerland.

FRONT got dragged along to help DJ one of the nights, which apparently, was super amazing. We were too drunk too remember, obvs.

ROCKET FUEL

Big ol' big-ups go to Lords Of Drink BrewDog, who banged over a crate of their tastiest, deliciousist amber stuff for us at the start of BBQ season. Check out *brewdog.com* for more booze-addled info, go on.

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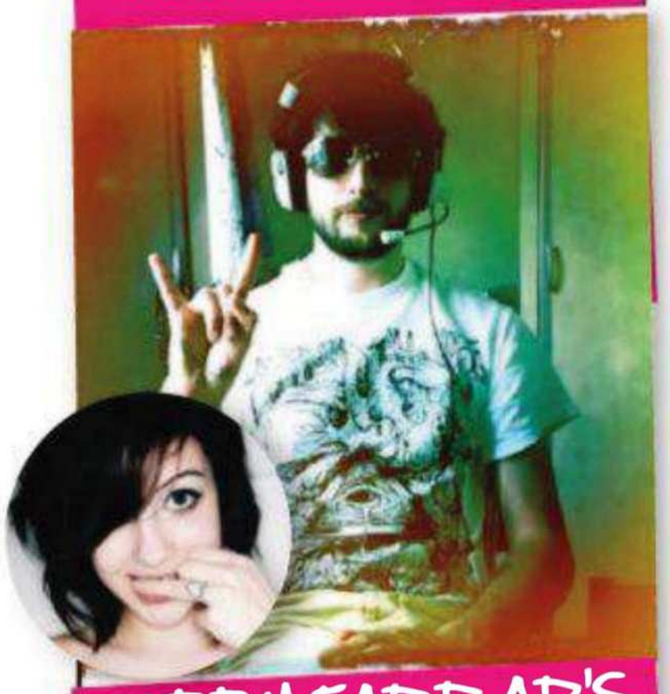
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TABBY FARRAR'S MATE IAN

A quarter of our sexy wet t-shirted ensemble, tattooed fitty Tabby urged us to salute this fella, Ian. "He's started a trend for looking like a rock'n'roll pirate pilot," Tabby says. We wouldn't go as far as to say a 'trend' is born, rather a fucking silly and confusing fancy dress outfit. Still, he's Tabby's mate, and that's something we'd all like to be.

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STAR LETTER

READER GETS FOLLOWED

Hello again FRONT. You posted my letter in the latest issue, which made Jessica Messenger follow me on Twitter. I now love FRONT so much more, so thank you. By the way, I tried talking to Morgan Freeman but he kept shouting about being God and ran off to find Jim Carrey, but he did say Jess Mess should get a shoot.

TAYLOR EDGELL, VIA E-MAIL

Note to readers: if this letter doesn't make much sense to you, it's because you didn't read the last issue, in which case shame on you. Congratulations on getting followed though, Taylor. Unfortunately, Jessica told us her computer's got a virus that causes her to follow stinking megadorks on Twitter. It's a really specific virus.

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LOOK! LOOK! I'M FAMOUS!





I was reading your new issue, turned to the pages about the Silverstein gig and saw to my shock, I was the guy at the top of page 41, spinning on my back in the middle of the pit. Good times and it's a great honour to be in there. What a gig that was.

SEAN COUSINS, VIA E-MAIL

You'll be delighted to know, Sean, that we received a ton of fan mail about your picture, all of it from beautiful girls who enclosed naked pictures of themselves and firmly-worded demands for sex. Oh, wait, hang on, no, that's a lie. No. Nothing. Cheers!

SMALL-SCREEN SEX



Have you been watching that shitty Channel 4 Sex Education show? FRONT had to pop up didn't it?

ANONYMOUS, VIA TEXT

We had no idea it was going to happen, nameless texter, so we were as surprised as you when lovely Mellisa's bum was displayed to an audience of millions. Channel 4's always been full of arses though, so hey. Boing!

FRONT DONE A FUCKUP



You made a right fucking hash brown of the Rear End car section in last month's mag. £30k for the Lambo? And that Koenigsegg looks like a Jag to me. Get it sorted else I'll have to dip my own bellend in shit and mushroom stomp the lot of ya. 'Cept Vikki. She gets a £5 note and a Pot Noodle.

DAVE, FROM PLYMOUTH

We got a few messages about that, Dave, and we'd like to apologise to all of our readers for it. You see, we also had a really specific computer virus that day, a virus that caused our computers to be pissed-up and slapdash because it was sunny. Damn viruses. Sorry everyone.

DAMN YOU, FRONT



You think you're so clever with your "Ohh, I know how to sell magazines, let's put the world's sexiest chicks on the cover" attitude. Well, well done to you, it fuckin' worked! That was almost two years ago and since then, I've convinced at least ten people in the office to buy FRONT religiously. Now give me free things.

JAY, FROM NOTTINGHAM

Well, Jay, you can have three pieces of free advice. 1) Never trust anyone with the nickname 'Butt-thumber.' 2) Pens are useful. 3) Life's too short to watch Holby City.

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FAQs YOUR BURNING QUESTIONS ANSWERED

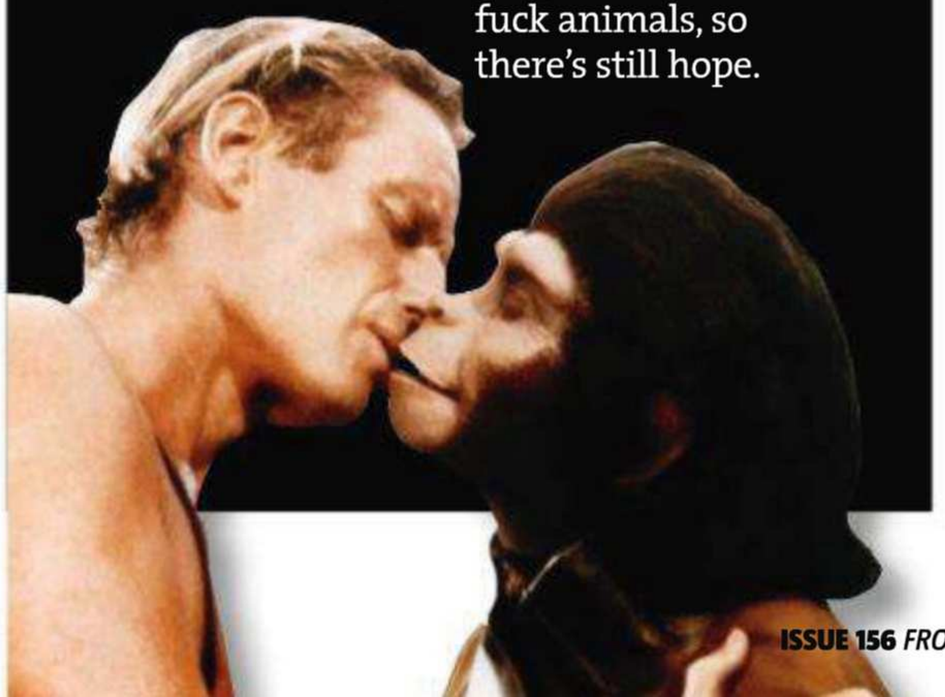
Q: DID DINOSAURS HAVE GIANT DINO-COCKS?

A: WE HAVE looked at a lot of pictures of dinosaurs, because they're ace as shit, but it's rare you see a picture of one with a great big stonkin' boner (except when we've drawn it on). Did they have Tyrannococks? Possibly not, say scientists. The thing is, knobs and fannies don't fossilise, so scientific thinking is that they had cloacas, a kind of all-purpose pissing/shitting/spunking thing that birds have, where they mate by kind of rubbing them together. It's pretty disappointing. But it's only a theory. We're gonna carry on picturing them with ten-metre megadongs.



Q: COULD A MAN AND A CHIMP HAVE A CHIMP-BABY?

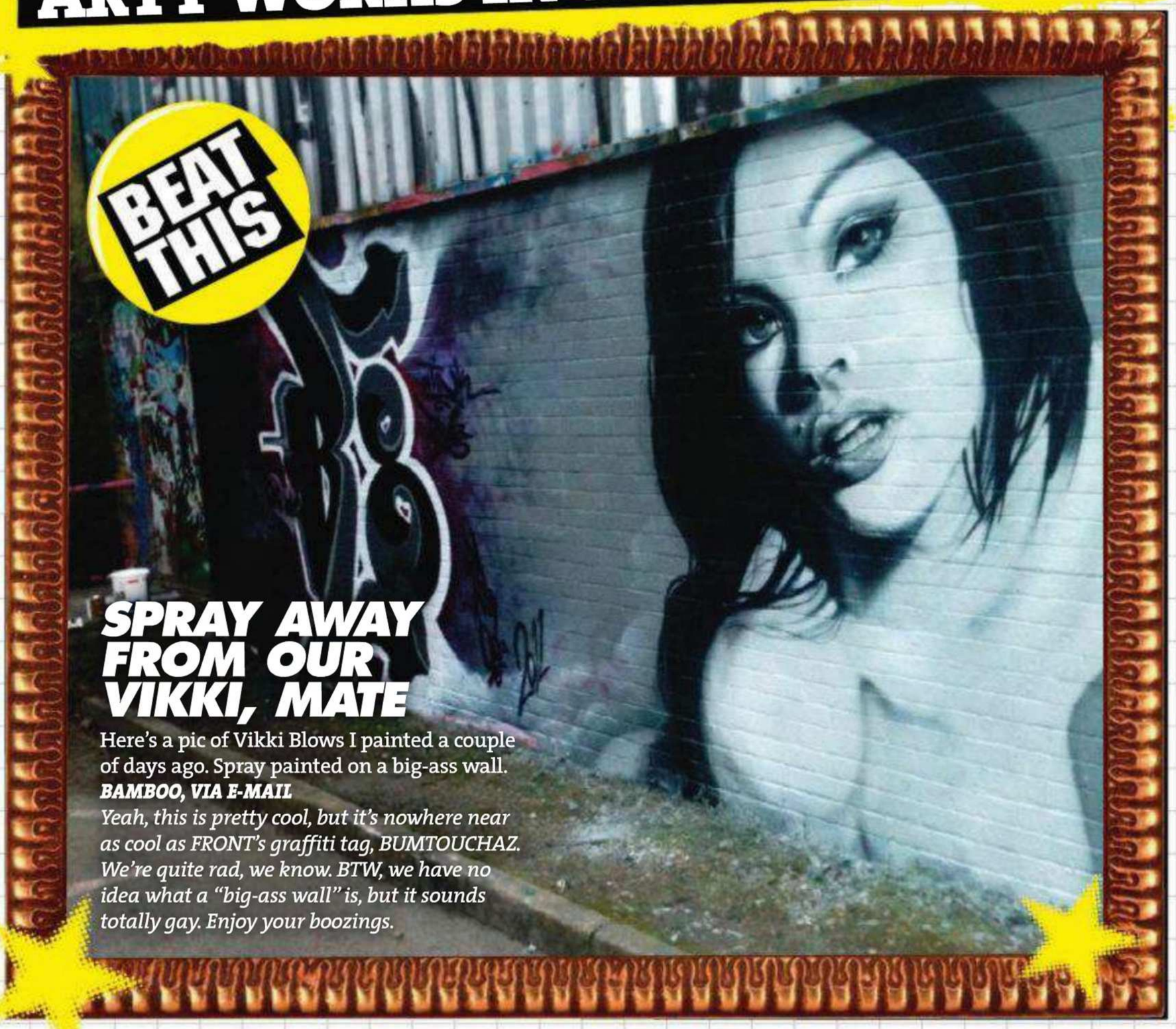
A: IF LIONS can breed with tigers to make ligers, and horses can breed with donkeys to make mules, and we share 99 per cent of our DNA with chimpanzees, why can't someone fuck a chimp and have a grotesque half-chimp baby? Awesome-named Russian scientist Ilya Ivanovich Ivanov was so desperate to know back in the 20s, he had female chimps artificially inseminated with human sperm. None of them had a fun hybrid baby. We've got a different amount of chromosomes to chimps, but so do horses to donkeys. Short answer, nobody's had one, but people sometimes fuck animals, so there's still hope.



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READERS' SHIT

YOUR FACE AND ARTY WORKS IN THE MAG



SPRAY AWAY FROM OUR VIKKI, MATE

Here's a pic of Vikki Blows I painted a couple of days ago. Spray painted on a big-ass wall.

BAMBOO, VIA E-MAIL

Yeah, this is pretty cool, but it's nowhere near as cool as FRONT's graffiti tag, BUMTOUCHAZ. We're quite rad, we know. BTW, we have no idea what a "big-ass wall" is, but it sounds totally gay. Enjoy your boozings.

CAN YOU BE FRONT'S GIRLFRIEND?

I was looking at my boyfriend's issue and thought I would send this artwork I drew in. Stay exactly as you are because you guys are funny as hell.

LEAH, VIA E-MAIL

No Leah, YOU stay exactly as you are. We've fallen slightly in love with you, maybe because you've given all our eyes massive boners with your arty efforts. However, we're not chucking you the booze, because we know your idiot boyfriend will drink it, and we think he's a dick. Marry us instead?



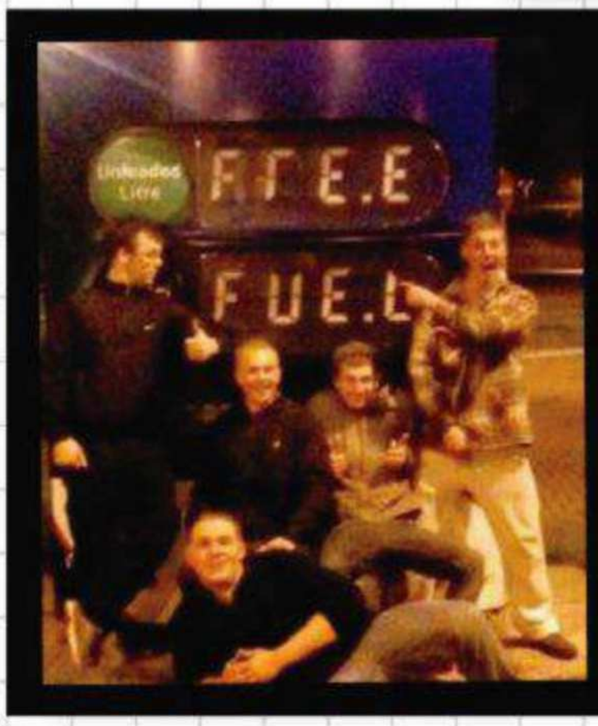


BONER WALL

I thought you'd appreciate something of an epic proportion, so decided to put this together for you in thanks for making me cream over your mag every time I buy it.

ADAM SCHOFIELD, FROM MANCHESTER

This is a sloppy effort, Adam. The phrase 'epic proportion' is better suited to groundbreaking events, like the moon landing, the Battle Of Hastings, and the time our mate Crap Andy squeezed a whole chicken nugget up his nose. You fucking failure.



FUEL FOR THOUGHT

Had a few to drink and changed Tesco's fuel prices!

RICHARD ACRES, FROM RUGBY

Fuck yes, Richard! We're sure all the drivers of the UK will be happy with your efforts. We, however, received a driving ban after having a little solo trouser-shuffle out of our sunroof. Apparently, stuff like that is 'illegal'. Who knew, eh?

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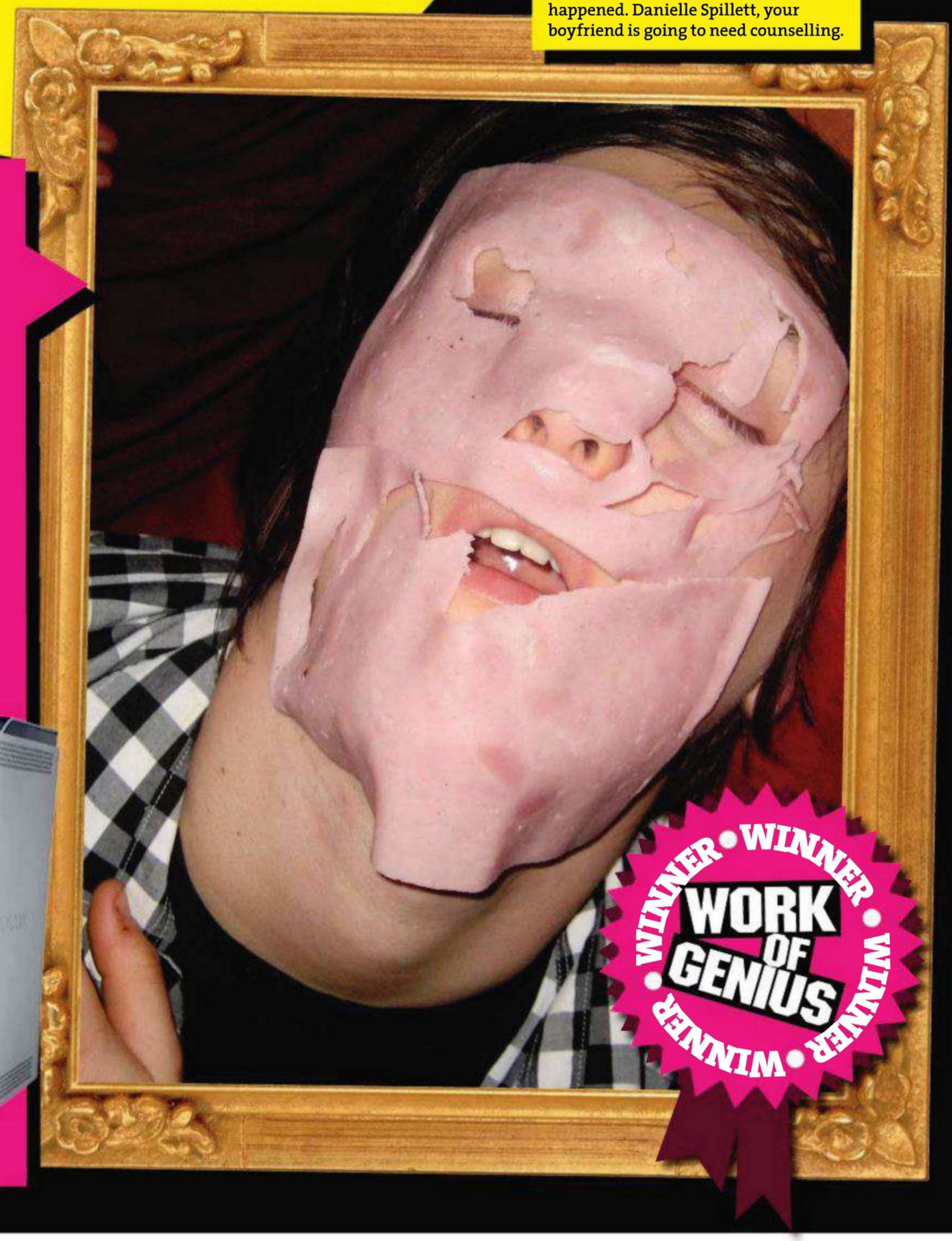


I'M SWEET ENOUGH ALREADY

It's not often FRONT gasps in horror, but upon reading the words "This was right before he had sugar shoved up his arse," that's precisely what happened. Danielle Spillett, your boyfriend is going to need counselling.

MAN OF HAM

Simple yet effective is the best way to describe this astonishing victimisation of Sam Griffiths. What's more, Sam sent in these shots himself. You're a hero for emailing us, but also a drunken gaylord for getting in this sorry state. Enjoy the prizes, snotrag.





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FAGS FOR NOTHING

Welcome to the page, John. You've been described as a "dirty Glaswegian twat" by your friend Jamie, of which we'll confirm that you are both dirty and a twat. You'll have to open your booze-soaked mouth to prove you're Glaswegian, though.

WE'VE GOT OUR IRON YOU, PAL

"This is what happens when squaddies drink rum at midday. Our mate, ginger idiot extraordinaire Pat Jarvis, had already drunk his own vomit and nose-dived into a concrete floor, so we decorated him," says Mark Culshaw. We have nothing to add, apart from THIS IS AN AMAZING STORY.



SAY WHAT YOU SEE

Ten dickhead points to Dan for stating: "We piled as much of the living room on top of him as possible". We reckon every one of your school reports said "Dan must stop being a retard". We're right, aren't we, Dan?



BATH OF BARF

There are a lot of pink accessories in this photo of Ben, which leads us to only one conclusion: besides from being one helluva drunk bastard, he's also partial to a bit of bumming. Backslaps go to Jake Phillips for this pictorial LOL.

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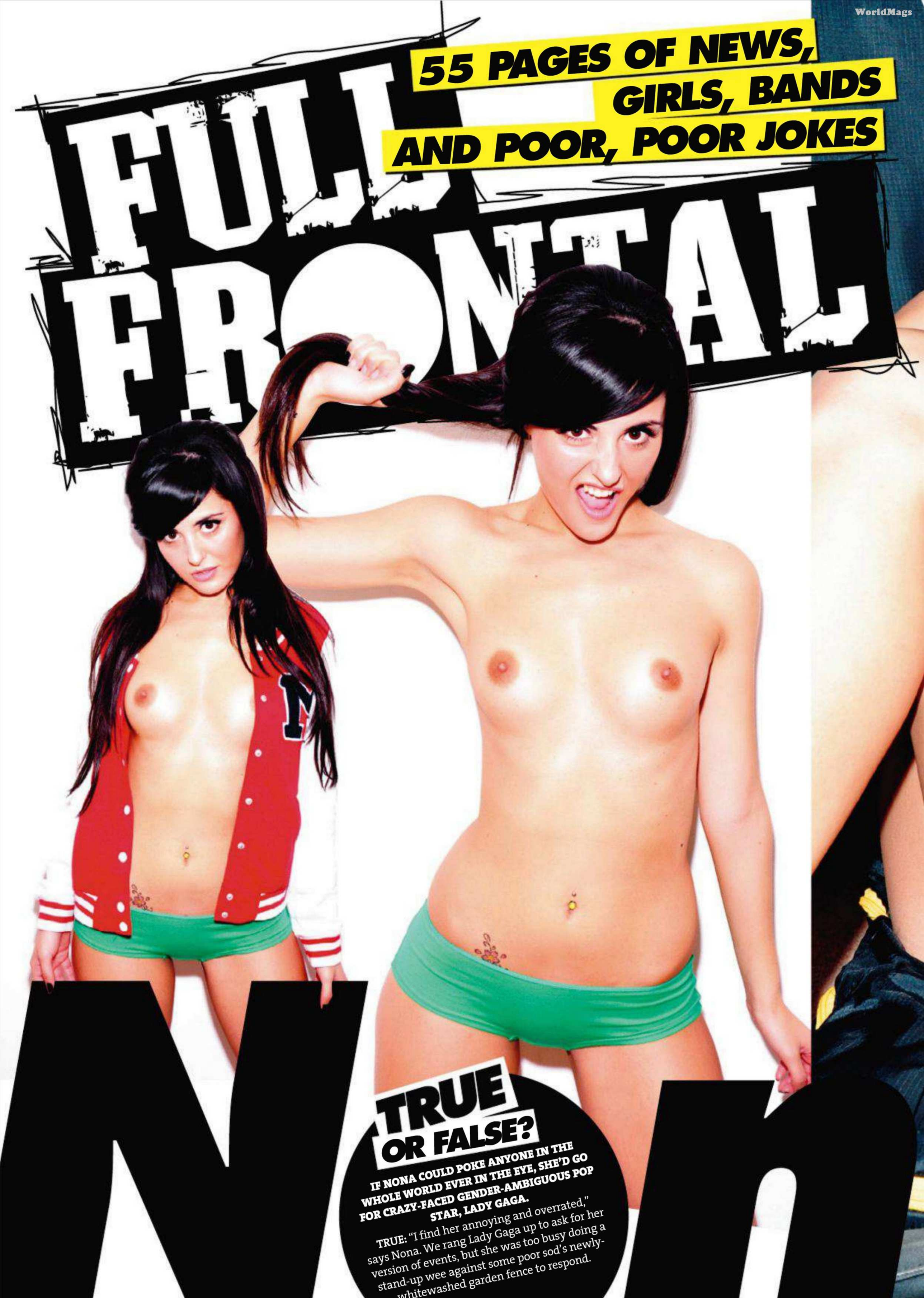
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TRUE OR FALSE?

IF NONA COULD POKE ANYONE IN THE WHOLE WORLD EVER IN THE EYE, SHE'D GO FOR CRAZY-FACED GENDER-AMBIGUOUS POP STAR, LADY GAGA.

TRUE: "I find her annoying and overrated," says Nona. We rang Lady Gaga up to ask for her version of events, but she was too busy doing a stand-up wee against some poor sod's newly-whitewashed garden fence to respond.

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TRUE OR FALSE?

GIVEN THE CHOICE BETWEEN PAELLA AND FISH AND CHIPS, NONA WOULD OPT FOR PAELLA, WHICH SHE PRONOUNCES AMAZINGLY.

TRUE: We'd probably opt for fish and chips, which would explain why Nona is healthy and beautiful, and we're greasy and overweight.

SAY ¡HOLA! TO THE AMAZING NONA, A GIRL SO CALIENTE (THAT'S SPANISH FOR HOT), THESE PAGES MAY GIVE YOU A TAN

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STATZ

NAME: Nona
AGE: 26
FROM: Barcelona
LIVES: London
LIKES: Hot weather, shellfish, bulls



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TRUE OR FALSE?

NONA USED TO BE IN THE BACKSTREET BOYS. SHE WAS THE ONE WHO ALWAYS SEEMED LIKE SHE DIDN'T WANT TO BE THERE. YOU KNOW, THAT ONE.

FALSE: However, Backstreet Boys was the first gig she ever went to, in Barcelona, when she was eight.

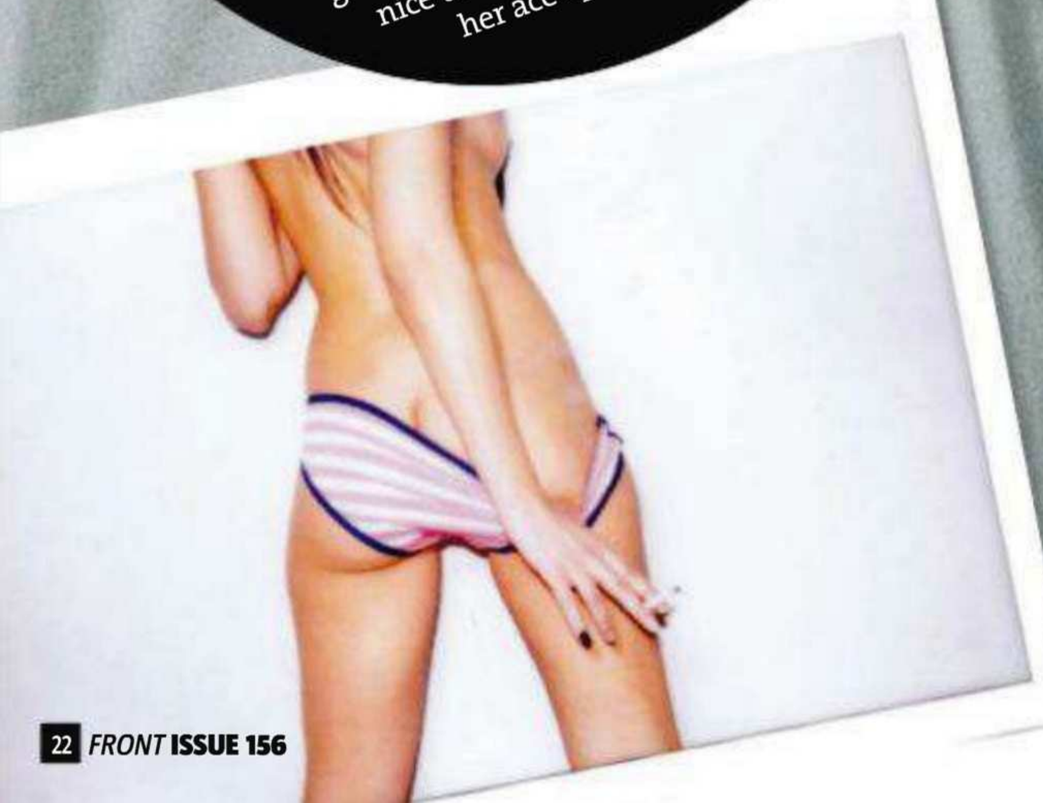
TRUE OR FALSE?

NONA CHOSE HER NAME BECAUSE IT'S AN ANAGRAM OF "ANON", AND SHE WANTS TO ULTIMATELY BE NAMELESS.

FALSE: Nobody chooses their own name, expect twats like Bono (who is really fucking called Paul). The "Anon" thing is just a little bit of wordy fun. Like on Countdown. Except on Countdown, four letters is shit.

NONA IS A BIG FAN OF THE RAMONES, AND THE WAY SHE PRONOUNCES IT IN HER ACCENT "THE RAMONEZ" IS AMAZING.

TRUE: She also likes The Clash, and don't get us wrong, hearing her say that was nice too. It's just less conducive to her ace Spanish accent.



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TRUE OR FALSE?

NONA'S FAVOURITE FILM IS THAT ONE ABOUT ROBIN HOOD WHERE RUSSELL CROWE'S DRESSED LIKE ROBIN HOOD AND PRETENDING TO BE ROBIN HOOD. WE THINK IT'S CALLED GLADIATOR.

FALSE: That's nobody's favourite. Nona's favourite film is Almost Famous, which she says she's seen hundreds of times, but the ending always makes her cry.

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Shit to get psyched about this month



































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1 CHTHONIC GO VIKING

FIT GIRL PLUS HISTORY LESSON TIMES METAL EQUALS ACE

TAIWANESE METALLERS Chthonic, featuring distressingly lovely bassist Doris Yeh, have a new concept album called Takasago Army. We tracked them down to have a wee chat about it.

Q&A DORIS YEH LOVELY BASS LADY

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA? When Japan ruled Taiwan, people rebelled, but when the war started, lots of soldiers joined the Japanese army. The Japanese lost but accepted that they'd die and found their own dignity in that.

SO THERE'S A BIT OF EDUMACATION IN THERE? History should be interesting ⑦ I wanted to be an archaeologist when I was younger ⑦ but this isn't a classroom. I listen to European metal but I just enjoy the music.

SO YOU DUDES ARE 'ORIENT METAL', RIGHT? Europeans have Vikings and folk metal ⑦ we have Orient metal. The metal scene in Eastern Asia is growing, and I'd like to think Chthonic are leading the way.

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FOLLOWING FRANTIC ANTICIPATION that made the buildup to the Royal Wedding look like the buildup to a ham sandwich, Sneakerpedia finally launches this month. This massive user-generated trainer library, brought to us by Footlocker, is an online portal for the ever-growing community of sneaker freaks, all set to revolutionise the trainer-collecting universe...

Q&A ELLIOTT CURTIS PROFESSOR OF SNEAKEROLOGY

ALRIGHT ELLIOTT, OR SHOULD WE SAY PROFESSOR CURTIS?
Haha! Elliott is fine. I only make my students call me Professor.

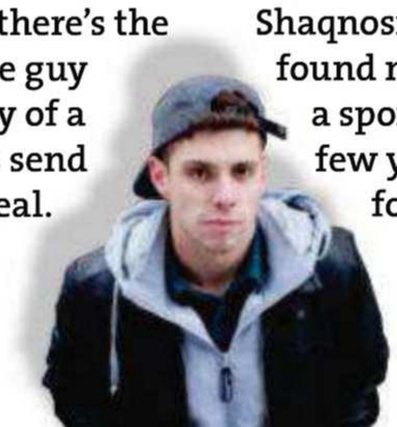
SO HOW DO YOU BECOME A PROFESSOR OF SNEAKEROLOGY?
My college encouraged graduates to innovate with new ideas for the curriculum. I've been a sneaker geek since I was a kid and thought, if you can have courses on baking and poker then why not on sneakers? Before we knew it there were hundreds applying for the class.

THAT'S FUCKING COOL. WHAT ARE THE PERKS OF THE JOB?
I get to talk about my passion all day. I'm an ambassador for cool projects like Sneakerpedia. Then there's the fact that I'm no longer the guy waiting in line on the day of a new shoe release. Brands send me the trainers – it's unreal.

WHAT'S SO GREAT ABOUT SNEAKERPEDIA?
When I was growing up you really had to search, nothing was in one place. There were no good blogs, just magazines and a few little-known spots in New York. A lot of purists loved the underground feel but this new concept brings sneaker culture to the masses and feed a global audience.

WHAT WILL BE THE MOST POPULAR TRAINER ON SNEAKERPEDIA?
Early Nike Air Jordans are the cream of the crop for so many people in the US. But it's interesting seeing the regional differences.

DO YOU HAVE A FAVOURITE PAIR OF SNEAKS?
I love mid-90s basketball trainers. My favourites have to be the Reebok Shaqnosis. They're audacious. I found my pair in the basement of a sports goods store in Chicago a few years back. I only wear them for special occasions.



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NEW EXCITING WAYS TO FUCK YOURSELF UP

SINK YOUR (NON-PRO) WHEELS INTO THE PEAKS AND TROUGHS OF NIKE'S AWESOME BIKE PARK

EXTREME SPORTS

AS GRANDAD ALWAYS used to say, there's nothing quite like an 80-metre-long BMX and trial riding park in a derelict tunnel. Especially when the tunnel's a super secret one, designed by Nike and the best bike park designers in the world.

In 2009, Nike hosted the international 6.0 Tunnel Jam, a competition for the best BMX teams and riders from across the globe. And now, having maintained its top-secret professionals-only status for more than two years, rumour has it it's open for a month to non-pro bikey scumbags such as yourselves, very very soon. Yes, we're excited by this. No, we didn't just rip the wicker basket from our younger sister's tricycle in a moment of preempted glee. That was someone else. Maybe a burglar.

In the meantime, we caught up with extreme trial rider and two-time world champion Jack Challoner, who was very sweaty having just spent the day tearing the shit out of the tunnel on his freshly-pimped motorbike. It's a hard life.

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NICE CANS

LIMITED EDITION TINS LAUNCHED TO COMMEMORATE 125TH ANNIVERSARY



COKE HABIT

COCA-COLA HAS come a long way since its invention in 1886, when you couldn't even get the cherry flavour and there was fuck-all else on sale anyway. 125 years on, it's the biggest brand in the world, so it should come as no surprise that the world's favourite tooth-fuckers are making a song and dance of their anniversary year.

They've got brill-as-tits London illustrator James Jarvis to turn his creative talents to these special-edition cans that are set to become collectable gold, so you're officially an idiot if you throw one in the bin. No announcement has been made regarding the UK release, but we do know they'll be available for a limited period only. So go camp outside your local newsagent for as long as it takes. They sell Wet-Wipes, they sell Peperami, you can do months if you need to.



WHO IS JAMES JARVIS?

This bloke unwittingly started the designer toy phenomenon with his iconic toy figure Martin. He's released nearly 100 character toys and a comic book adventure story called Vortigern's Machine and the Great Sage of Wisdom, plus his HOLY SHIT ACE stuff with Silas. Good work, we say. Dude's got skills, y'all.

studiojarvis.com



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Q&A JACK CHALLONER BIKE-TOTING TRIALS KING

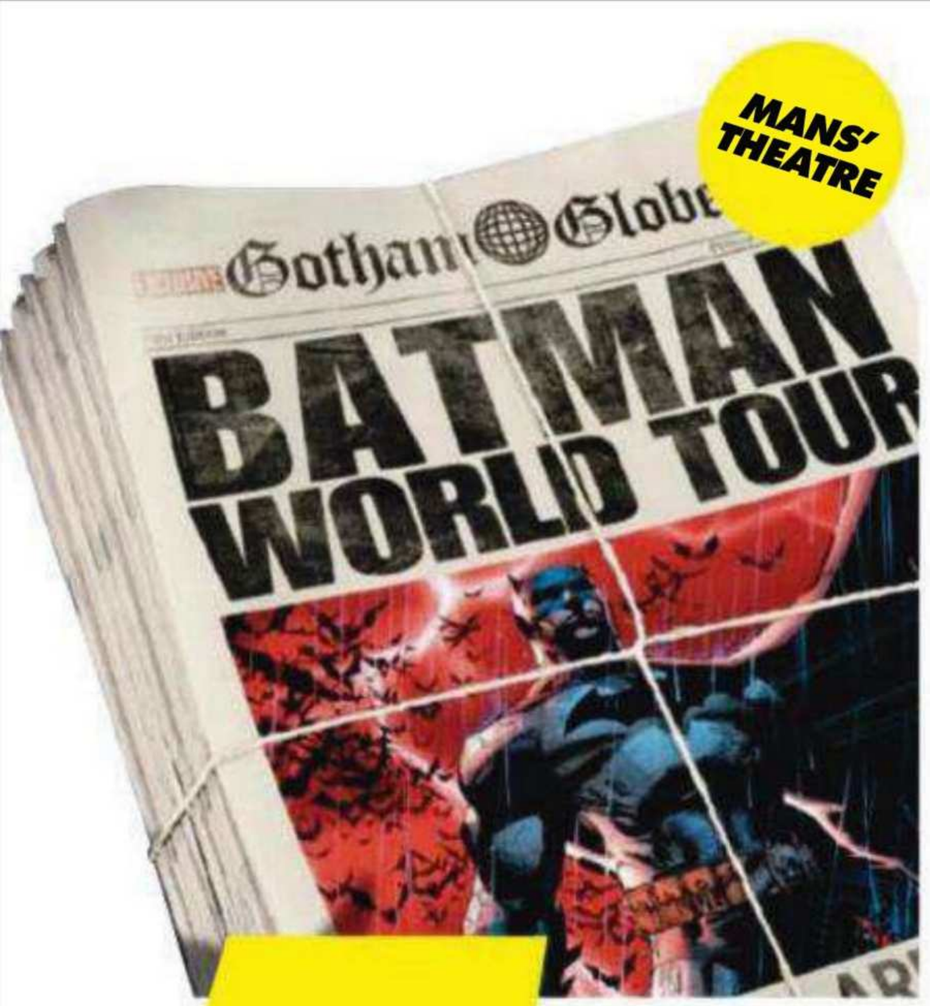
HELLO JACK. WHAT'S ESPECIALLY ACE ABOUT THE 6.0 TUNNEL FOR YOU, ONE OF THE TOP TRIAL RIDERS IN THE WHOLE WORLD EVER?
Well, just being able to ride the tunnel is awesome. Tunnel Jam's an iconic event, so to ride the same lines as some of those BMX guys on a motorbike was ace.

HOW DID YOU GET INTO ALL THIS TRIAL RIDING MALARKY?
Me and my mates used to ride pushbikes round Halifax, then my dad and uncle got me my first motorbike when I was four.

FOUR? MENTAL. DO YOUR BIKING PLANS FOR THE COMING YEAR INVOLVE A SHITLOAD OF TUNNEL MADNESS?
Well the Outdoor World Championships start in May, so I'll be going to Germany, Spain, Italy, Japan, Scotland, Poland and Andorra. The next step is the Championship class of the world championships ⑦it's the ultimate level in World Trials and I'd love to add my name to that list of legends! But Tunnel Jam's still the coolest place I've ridden, the whole setup is brilliant.

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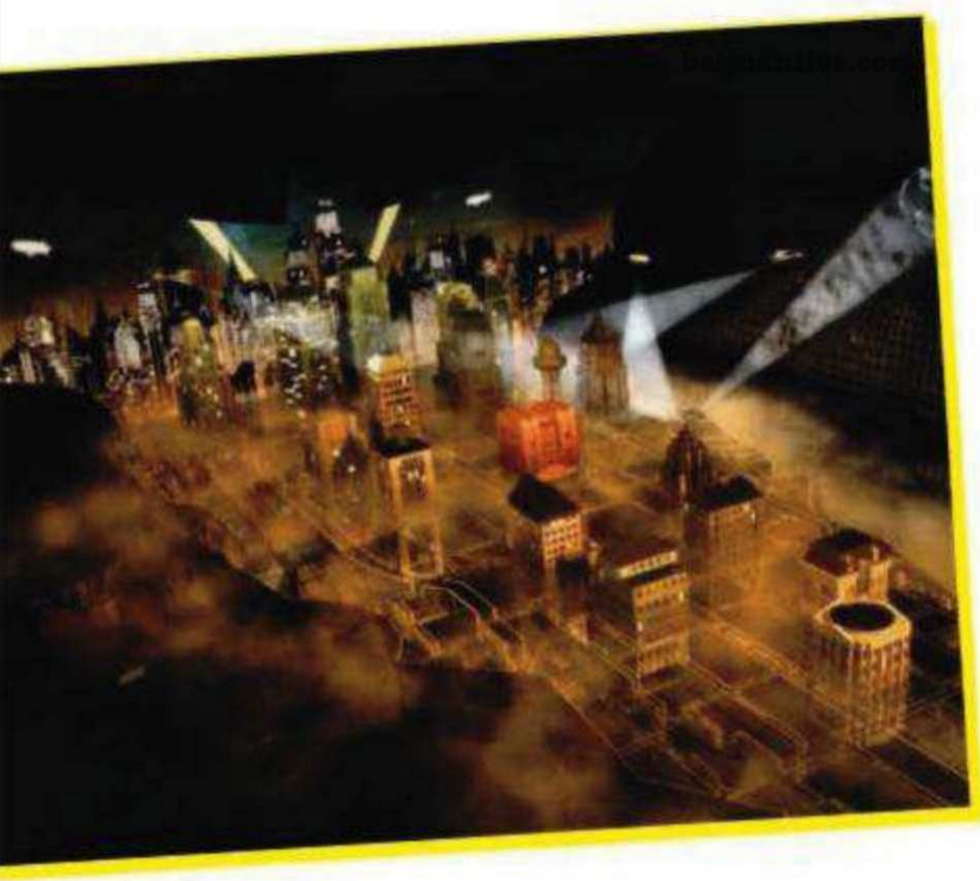
MANS' THEATRE



BATMAN GOES LIVE

LEGENDARY SUPERHERO SHOW TO TOUR BIG-ASS UK VENUES

FUCK GOTHAM CITY, Batman's on his way to a giant room somewhere near you. For the first time in his baddie-beating history, everyone's favourite superhero with no super powers hits the live stage in an acrobatic, daredevilly, illusionistic extravaganza that only a moron would miss. As part of a brand new storyline adapted from the original DC comics, the show depicts Robin's quest to follow in the footsteps of the Caped Crusader, and includes most of Batman's best villains, including Catwoman, The Joker and The Penguin (but not including crap ones they used once and forgot about, like Egghead). Meanwhile, audiences can also look forward to an exclusive dose of the brand new Batmobile, the brainchild of legendary Formula One car design guru Gordon Murray. Kapow!





LONDON'S SPAZZY INSTRUMENTAL THREE-PIECE JUST CAN'T SEEM TO LEAVE THEIR DIGITS ALONE

"WE'RE VERY LAZY," says Tom, the man behind the keys of, surprisingly, one of London's busiest bands this month. With three EPs under their belts, a new album set to drop at the end of May, a UK tour to smash and trips out to Europe, we're talking about the fact that if you've heard Three Trapped Tigers already, your fave songs will either be called 9, 6, or any other number between one and 13.

"Anyone who's been in a band will know how hard it is to give a song a witty name, especially when your music has no lyrics, so for our EPs we stuck to numbers," he says. All that time saved not thinking of quirky, ROFL LOL LMAO song names has left plenty of hours in the day to create some amazing glitchy instrumental music that's pretty damn hard to define,
and often laced with Nintendo blips and synths.

So, THIRTEEN numerically-named songs, a new album called 'Route ONE Or Die', and named 'THREE Trapped Tigers', do they get boners over maths or what?

"We actually started off as a six-piece, and it's only coincidence that we're down to three now. Oh, and we've actually pulled our fingers out and given the songs on our album real wordy names, so fear not."

Thank fuck. Maths was never our strong point at school, what with pissing our pants in our GCSE. We've all been there though, right? RIGHT?!

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THREE TRAPPED TIGERS

EAR CANDY





Q&A TOM KEYS/VOX

WHAT'S THE STORY, THEN, TOM?
After graduating, all three of us went into the London jazz improvisation scene, and ended up playing together as a group. We slowly evolved more away from jazz, and into what we see today.

WE'VE HEARD YOU'RE ALL MUSIC NERDS. CHUCK US A MENTAL FACT.
Funny you should say that. I've just been listening to Radio 4, and they were discussing the quite fascinating tempo rate of The Beatles song Strawberry Fields[?] [goes into a long techy talk on tempo and keys].

OH WOW, THAT IS INTERESTING. HOW OFTEN DO YOU GET COMPARED TO BATTLES?
Probably in 98 per cent of interviews, actually. We've come to expect it now. None of us actually think we sound like them, so I guess it's because they were trailblazers, and made our kind of music more accessible.

WHAT CAN WE EXPECT FROM YOUR NEW ALBUM ROUTE ONE OR DIE?
It's definitely heavier, more aggressive and probably just a bit more mental that our last three EPs. It's a big step up in energy, too.

threetrappedtigers.com

MUSIC MATHS



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NEW McBESS X DUDES FACTORY

COLAB-TASTIC CLOBBER FOR THE SUMMER

INTERNATIONAL SUPERACENESS ahoy! Q: What do you get when you cross a kick-ass German clothing label with a big-boy French illustrator (and buddy of FRONT)? A: These clothes. Yeah, it's factual.

Killer pencil-wrangler McBess, who did our amazing Inky 69 cover and moonlights as the lead guitarist in the band Dead Pirates, has teamed up with German label Dudes Factory for this bloody marvellous range of summer t-shirts as well as an axe. Yeah, a fucking axe. Yeah, beat that, Topshop.

Q&A McBESS FRENCH ILLUSTRATION BAD-ASS

HEY MC, THANKS FOR DOING OUR COVER THE OTHER MONTH, BUT WHY HAVEN'T YOU SENT US LOADS OF FREE CLOTHES,?
Sorry guys, I don't control the distribution!

IS THIS GONNA BE A PERMANENT VENTURE INTO THE FASHION WORLD?
I hope so, but it has to be the right project. Usually my illustrations are a bit too complicated to come out really effectively on t-shirts. There was a lot of thinking about where ladies' lady lumps would touch and stuff like that.

I tried to make this range both detailed and bold, and I'm really happy with the outcome. Plus, the Dudes Factory guys are awesome ☺the production on this gear is perfect.

THERE'S AN AXE AS PART OF THE RANGE. WHAT'S THAT ABOUT? The Dudes and I started thinking about what else we could do to supplement the range and they found this really old firefighter axe and a stump ☺we knew it'd be perfect.

The axe is a recurrent object in my illustration work. I must admit it's very trendy but I've always liked lumberjack tools.



WATCH THIS FACE

DURRTY GOODZ

HARDCORE GRIME RAPPER MAKEZ A COMEBACK

WHO ARE YOU AND WHAT DO YOU DO?
I'm Durrty Goodz, grown in east London. I make music that makes people feel better.

WHAT MADE YOU WANT TO DO RAPPING AND THAT?
My parents playing music regular in my yard and watching a lot of Jamaican stage shows on video.

SOOO WE HEAR YOU HAD SOME RUN-INS WITH THE LAW A FEW YEARS BACK...
You've heard that? I've heard that too. When you make music, sometimes it can carry you on a journey you never thought you would go on. I've never stopped making music, that would be like I've stopped living.

JUICY. WHAT'S THE BIGGEST PERK OF THE JOB?
This is not my job, this is hip-hop, I don't do this for a wage at the end of the month, I do this to uplift and inspire others. But it's great when you can make yourself a living with it.

WHAT'S THE BIG PLAN FOR THIS YEAR, THEN? Working on my following album after this release,Overall. It's got me excited already, can't wait for people to get a whiff of it.

SO YOU DID SOME STUFF ON PIRATE RADIO WITH DIZZEE, KANO AND ROLL DEEP IN THE OLDEN DAYS – ARE THEY STILL YOUR BBZ AAF?
Of course not.

SO HONESTLY. YOU HOPING TO CRACK INTO MAINSTREAM?
Hope is a huge word. It sounds close to pray, but I for sure want to be known by the whole world for the gift I'm blessed with.

HOW DO YOU THINK YOU'LL BE RECEIVED?
I don't even think about it, I never have.

Goodz's debut album Overall is OUT NOW

"This kid is destined to change the game"
Fusion

WHO HE?
REAL NAME: Dwayne Mahorn
AGE: 29
JOB: Grime dude

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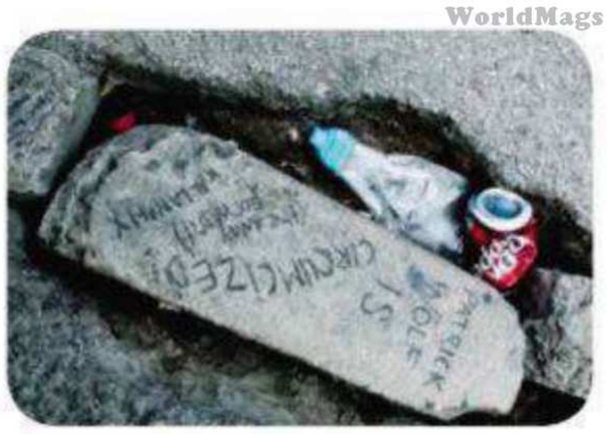
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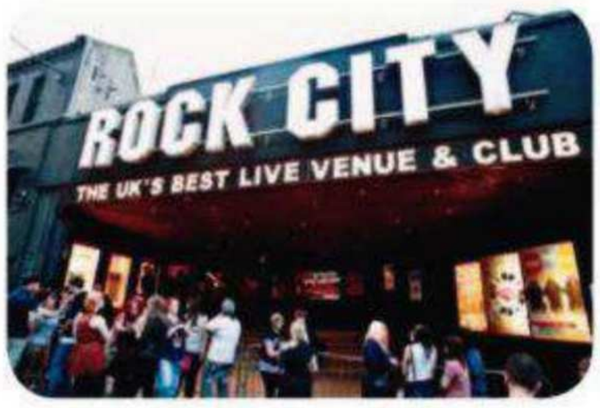


OUT & ABOUT

HIT THE DECK



WHAT? Hit The Deck Festival.
WHERE? Rock City, The Rescue Rooms and Stealth, in Nottingham.
WHO DERE? Cancer Bats, Young Guns, We Are The Ocean, The Blackout, Deaf Havana, Underoath, Blitz Kids.
BEST BIT: When Jack Delany from The Eyes Of A Traitor made an impromptu guest appearance onstage and we felt all happy.
WORST BIT: When he was chucked off the stage for it – just because another band were mid-set. We felt all sad.
THE LOOK: Nose rings, massive neck pieces.
DRINK OF CHOICE: Monster – and believe us, this shit really does fuck you up. Also beer, lots of beer, and a fair sprinkling of cider too.
DRUNKEN LUNACY RATING: 9 outta 10.



FOR ONE DAY only, the streets of Nottingham were swept clean of men in tights and knife-addled mentals and replaced with post-hardcore/metal/multiple-music-genre-loving youths, tatted up to the eyeballs, hyped on cans of pure sugar and partying hard.

Blitz Kids' Nic predicted the day would be spent "with no trousers on, crying, running round looking for my Mum, but also pooing, pissing, crying, all at the same time while someone else comes and blows my nose", while Deaf Havana's James expected to wind up "face-down in a ditch with a trucker's penis in my ear", so we were pretty excited. They luckily avoided incontinence and ear-spunking, but those narrow escapes aren't the only reasons HTD was fucking saweeet...

THE VENUES

You could get a haircut, eat carrot cake, sniff an Alt Girl and rock your face off to Underoath all in the same building. THIS HAS NEVER BEEN THE CASE BEFORE.

WHERE AM DEM?

The backstage area was one huge sweaty labyrinth, so bands were wandering around with common folk. We spotted many normal people we thought were celeb types. It ended predictably badly, with an old man assuring us he was in Megadeth and rubbing up against us repeatedly. Turns out he wasn't. He was just a man.

MONSTER

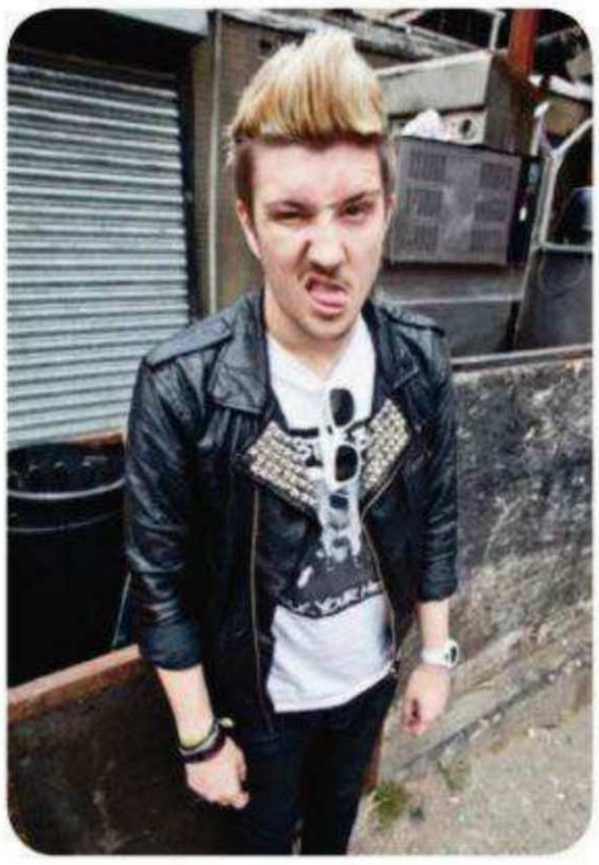
Toxic Monster sick at 1pm isn't for us, we've decided. But we did enjoy the pre-sick buzz and watching one of We Are Fiction chuck up into a pint glass. It's funny when it's other people.

GETTING CHANGE FROM A TENNER FOR THREE DRINKS

Won't occur at summer festivals.

DEAF HAVANA

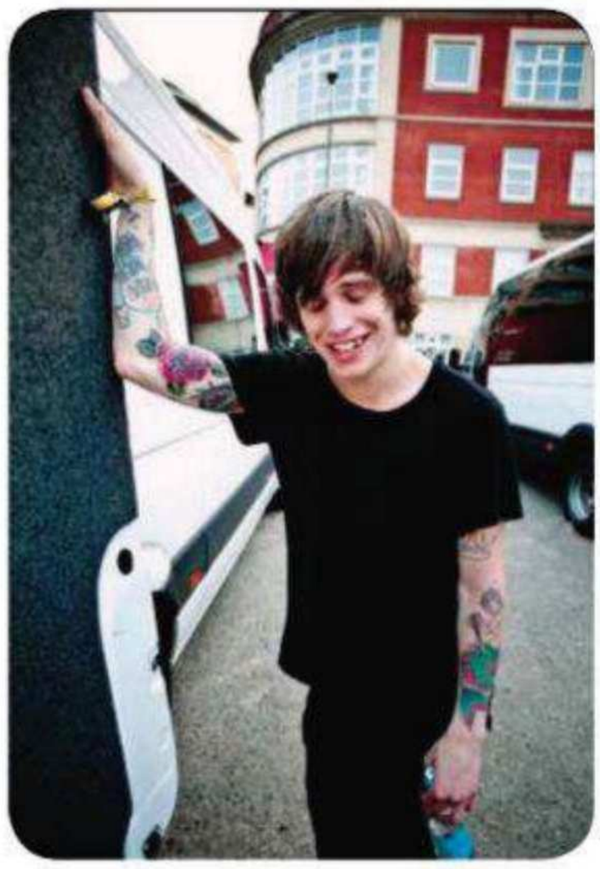
The King's Lynn lads stole the show with their chunky guitar bits and other very exciting bits that sounded brilliant after eight cans of cider. They'll be bloody massive by the end of the year. If not, we'll shrug our shoulders, and say "well, you can't predict everything, it's a fickle industry."



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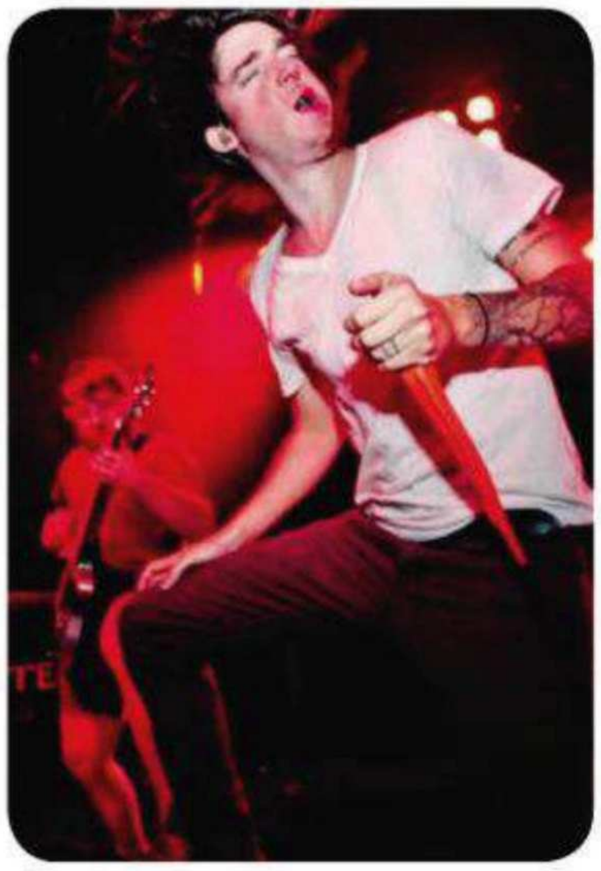
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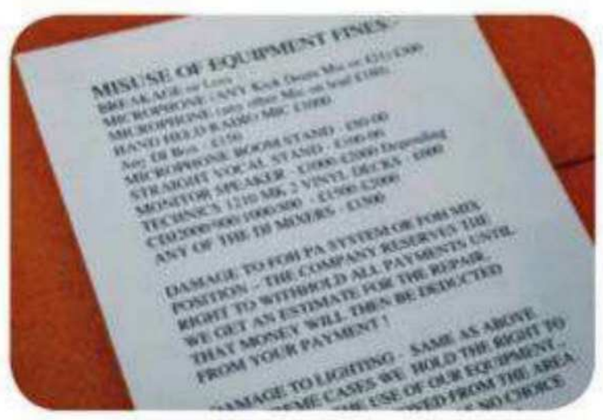










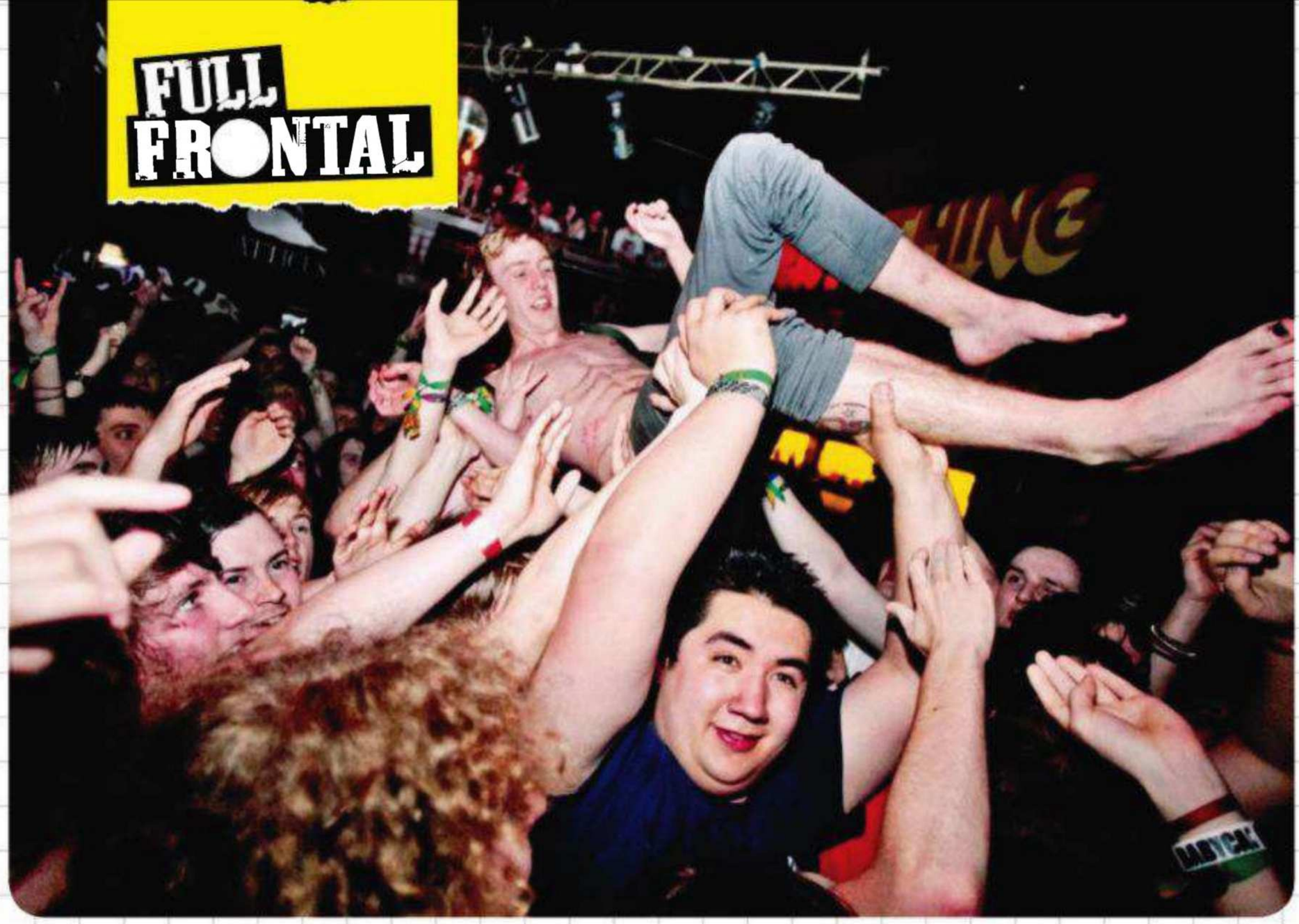






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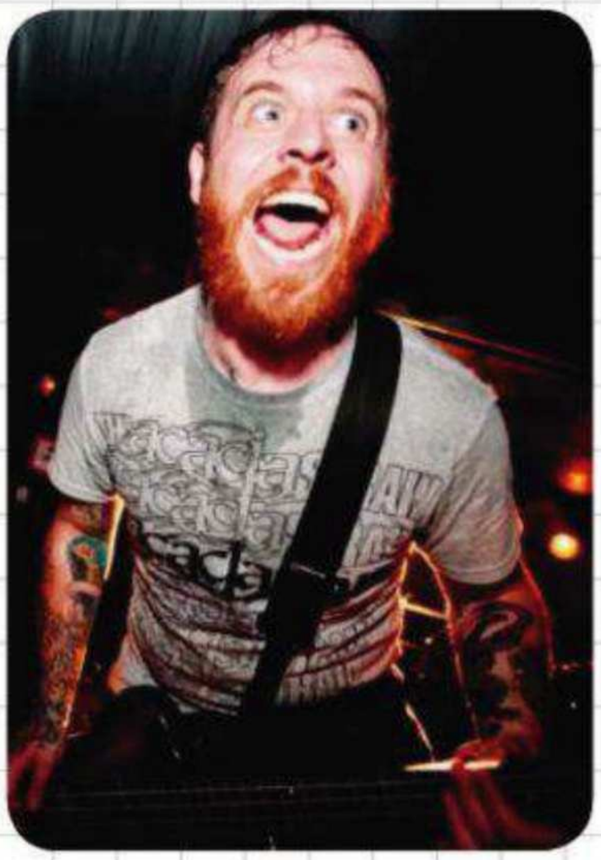






















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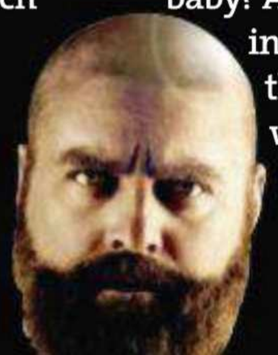


FLICKS

THE HANGOVER PART II

The wolfpack is back, minus the one that's not really in it much in the first one. He looks to have been replaced by a monkey, which can only be a good thing. As long as the baby's still in it. But maybe the monkey's replaced the baby? Aaanyhoo, it's set in Bangkok, for the dentist one's wedding, and will surely be a roflcopter of a sequel, not like that Men In Black bullshit.

■ *In cinemas 27 May*



ALBUM & TOUR

TELLISON

Indie Londoners Tellison have gone all out and given us a double hard-on (what is that???), what with their tour starting on the same date as their new album, The Wages Of Fear (see page 137). Now that's some smart business thinking right there.

■ *Album out 13 June, tour 13-18 June. Visit livenation.co.uk for tickets*

FESTIVAL

DOWNLOAD

Linkin Park! Rob Zombie! System Of A Down! It's the return of the noughties! Fuckloads of Tuborg! 'Nuff said.

■ *10-12 June*

TENNIS

WIMBLEDON

It's nearing that time again, when the world's best tennis players descend on a grassy park in south London while those of us who can't afford £1,000 a ticket tentatively take note via the telly. Expect copious amounts of rain and Murray to bottle it when it comes to the crunch.

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SHINY HELMET

Metal Mulisha Velocity helmet, £120, from *metalmulisha.com*

GOOD: It's not often you get to protect your tender pink brains while arousing lady onlookers, but that's exactly the kind of saucy multi-tasking that this bike skull-saver offers.

BAD: When you take it off your hair will be all manky and the ladies will flee.



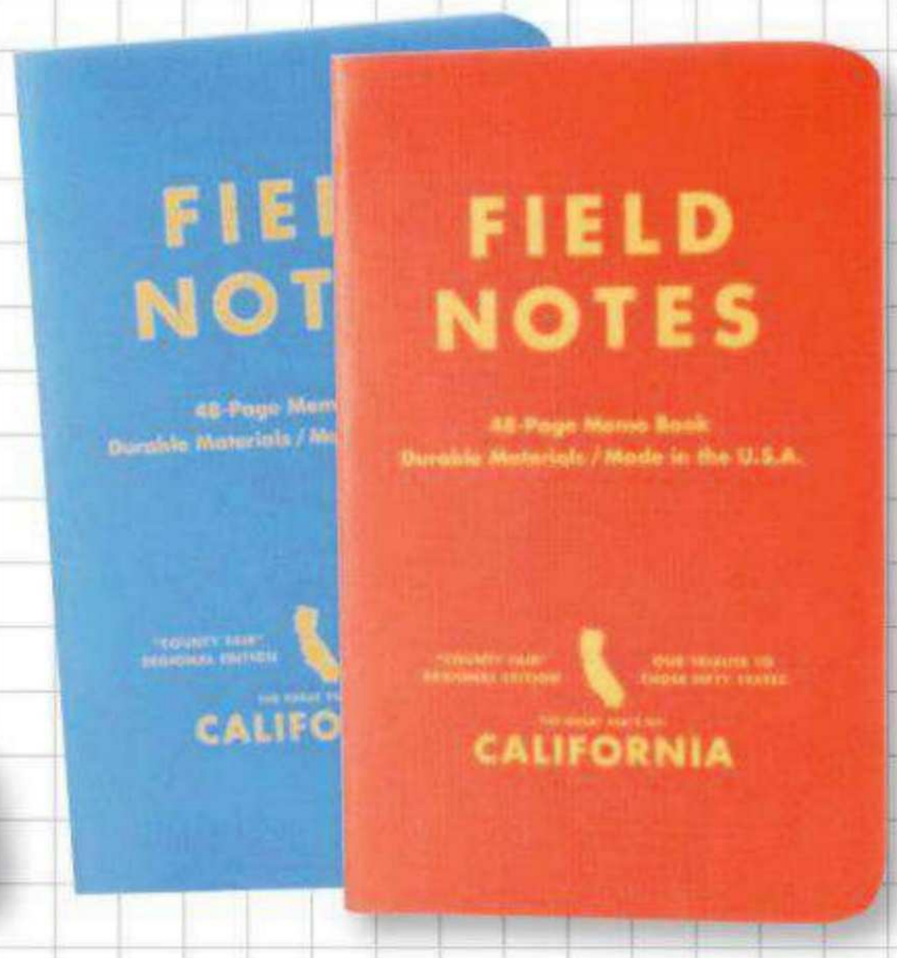
CEREAL KILLER

Wrenchware Bolt Bowl, £19, from *caagis.com*

GOOD: Ceramic bowls are for little girls and weak-armed wimps. Stop being a breakfast gaylord: eat your cereal out of something that looks like it's fallen off a massive bastard of a monster truck.

BAD: The only cereal rugged enough to be eaten out of this bowl is All-Bran, and All-Bran tastes like a zombie's dick.





THINKY BOOK

Urban Industry Field Notes Notebook, £8, from *urbanindustry.co.uk*

GOOD: Jot down any insightful and devastatingly witty observations that come to mind in this olden-tymey Field Notes book.

BAD: It'll be filled with doodles of tits, turds and giant spunking cocks within a week, and you know it will.

SK8 ART

The Skateboard Art Of Jim Phillips Book, £30, from *nativeskatestore.co.uk*

GOOD: The gnarliest skateboard art ever, in a book full of Californian Jim Phillips' eye-popping mad lunacy.

BAD: If you dislike things that are both radmazing and fantawesome, you may not enjoy this.



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COTTONY BOOBAGE

TITS towels, £15 each, from *shoptits.com*

GOOD: Make drying your soggy balls off an even sexier experience with these rudey, nudey towels from the jugs-obsessed TITS.

BAD: We'd also like a face flannel with a big hairy growler on it.

TRON'S HEADPHONES

Nixon Trooper headphones, £50, *urbanindustry.co.uk*

GOOD: If these aren't the best-looking headphones on the planet, then our name is Sir Lady Clive Van Cockenshitter OBE.

BAD: They're so nice, they kinda make your head look a bit crap in comparison.

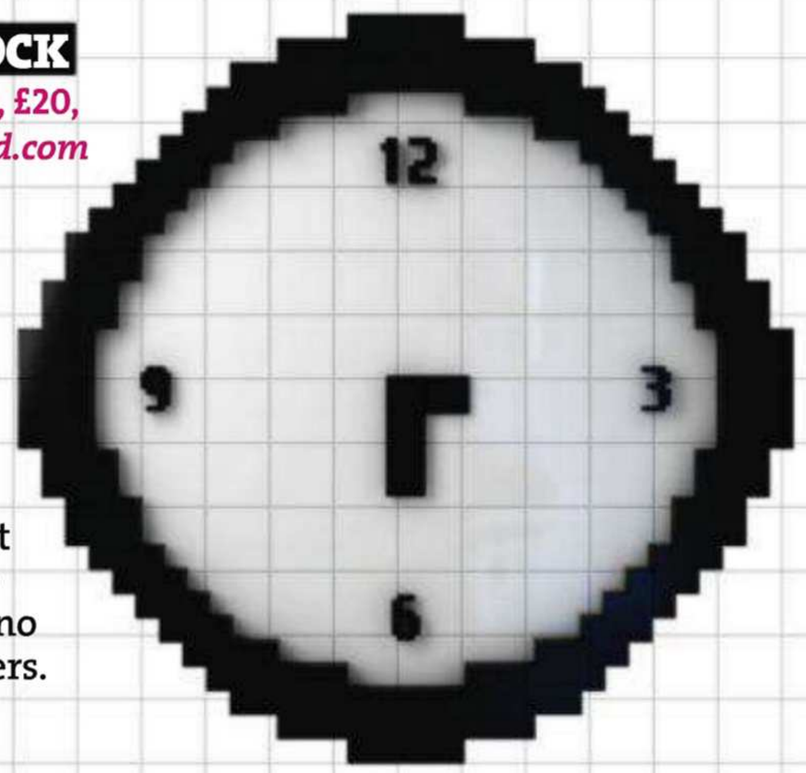


PIXEL O'CLOCK

Pixel Time Clock, £20, from *justmustard.com*

GOOD: Pretend you're living in an early '90s computer game with this pixelated, low-res JPEG of a clock.

BAD: We'd like it to be even more pixelated, with no hands or numbers.



HAMMER TIME

Hasbro Thor Helmet & Hammer, £15, from *hasbro.com*

GOOD: Celebrate the release of the new Thor movie by donning his Asgardian helmet and smiting your foes with his mighty hammer, Mjolnir. Or, just whack your mate Craig in the face with it until he cries.

BAD: Oh dear, you've broken Craig's nose. Quick, finish him off. Go on, kill him, or else you'll get in trouble.

WTF?

COLD DOG

Burton Beeracuda Beer Cooler, £12, from burton.com

GOOD: This frankly fucking amazing beer cooler keeps five cans chilled, has a koozie on the shoulder strap for a sixth, and looks like a mahoosive hot dog. Not really sure what else you could possibly want out of life.

BAD: ZOMG wot if gt pisd n eat teh hot dog ROFLOL??!1!!



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USEFUL SUPERHEROES

MOST OF THE STARS OF THIS SUMMER'S SUPERHERO FLICKS BATTLE NAZIS, MUTANTS OR SPACEY DEMONS. BUT WHERE ARE THE HEROES THAT HELP US IN EVERYDAY LIFE?



THE GUINEA PIG

KEY POWERS: Telepathically beats you to every shit idea you're about to have – climbing scaffolding, drinking a pint of vinegar, punching yourself in the teeth, wanking into a hand fan...

TRADEMARK: He is a man-sized guinea pig. It's quite a trademark.

CATCHPHRASE: "Beat you to it! Aaaaaaaaaaaargh!"

WHY HE'S USEFUL: He keeps you on the straight and narrow by setting the worst example imaginable.

NON-SUPER ALTERNATIVE: A really thick mate who can't stand up to peer pressure and wants to entertain.

THE TEARHALTER

KEY POWERS: Preemptively knows when girls will get angry or upset with something you've said, so comes along and cheers them up.

TRADEMARK: His oddly sexless gay hunkitude – sure, the ladies love 'im, but they won't try and touch him up as they'll assume he's 'one of them'.

CATCHPHRASE: "Sometimes, it's love that can be scary."

WHY HE'S USEFUL: Dealing with a crying girl is like dealing with a grenade someone's pulled the pin out of – it's in a bad state now, and could easily get much worse...

NON-SUPER ALTERNATIVE: A fat funny gay dude who likes to party. Everyone's happy when he's around.

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DOCTOR FERMENTO

KEY POWERS: Can turn any liquid into booze simply by sticking his finger in it.
TRADEMARK: His head looks like a keg.
WHY HE'S HELPFUL: Because sometimes, sometimes, you run out of booze, and that situation CANNOT BE TOLERATED.
NON-SUPER ALTERNATIVE: Keeping a load of gone-off fruit in a bag until the sugars in it break down and turn into ethanol.

INSOMNIAK

KEY POWERS: Uses his banshee wail to wake you up when you've nodded off somewhere bad – a party where people are about to Mate In A State you, a bus headed for John O'Groats, the window of M&S...
TRADEMARK: His hairdo has been engineered to be too annoying to sleep near.
CATCHPHRASE: "WAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!"
WHY HE'S USEFUL: Waking up missing an eyebrow with a sore bumhole is never the best start to a Sunday morning.
NON-SUPER ALTERNATIVE: Learning to sleep with one eye open like Leon, or Red Bull-ing yourself out of your mind.

ESTEEMER

KEY POWERS: She feeds off sadness, so approaches you whenever you feel down and provides a much-needed boost to your self-esteem by being phenomenally sexy.
TRADEMARK: Her ludicrously good looks and coolness you can almost smell.
CATCHPHRASE: "I have to board a helicopter to the moon because I'm amazing, but it's a shame, because I think you're lovely and would love to have lezzed-up for you."
WHY SHE'S USEFUL: Hey, nobody enjoys feeling like shit, and everyone enjoys feeling like a king/superstar/sex machine.
NON-SUPER ALTERNATIVE: Doing all of the Instant Expert skills we've ever taught you in front of women.

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TONG ACTION
Coolmovers three-piece deluxe stainless steel BBQ set, £13, from *drinkstuff.com*

WHAT IS THIS? Big fuck-off tongs, a big fuck-off fork and a big fuck-off spatula that you could just as easily use to battle evil as you can to cook meat to absolute perfection.

THE BARBIE'S DRUNKEST MAN SAYS: "Check me out, man, I can eat uncooked chicken with no worries at all, OHNOISHATMYPANTS..."

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BBQ BITS 'N' SHITS

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POSH BUT PORTABLE

Esbit stainless steel folding BBQ, £60, from *cotswoldoutdoor.com*
WHAT IS THIS? A portable barbie to make everyone else's piddly-ass foil number look like a used condom wrapped round some matches.
THE BARBIE'S DRUNKEST MAN SAYS: "Hey, if I dangle my cock over the grill, steam comes out of my piss-hole!"



NOBODY LIKES THE SHITS

Thermapen, £48, from *thermapen.co.uk*
WHAT IS THIS? An electronic gizmo that ensures your meat is properly cooked, preventing you from churning your guts up like a motherfucker.
THE BARBIE'S DRUNKEST MAN SAYS: "My meat was well cooked, but I was sick on it, so it's not as tasty anymore."



TASTES FOWL

Beer Bird, £12, from *planetbarbecue.co.uk*
WHAT IS THIS? A fancy chicken cooking rack imported from South Africa that offers delicious beery chicken after two hours on the grill.
THE BARBIE'S DRUNKEST MAN SAYS: "Someone call me an ambulance. Call me an ambulance. You're an ambulance. Did I get that wrong?"



WHOSE PIPE?

Bongzilla, £70, from *beerbong.co.uk*
WHAT IS THIS? A six-foot, six-piped beer bong, so you and five friends can get wasted together.
THE BARBIE'S DRUNKEST MAN SAYS: "The good news is, I found where I did that shit earlier. The bad news..."



ELECTRIC DREAMS

Weber Q240 Electric, £299, from *weber.co.uk*
WHAT IS THIS? It's a fucking electric barbecue. Yes, an electric barbecue. Whatever will they think of next? A fucking scuba hairdryer? We live in the future. WE LIVE IN THE GOD DAMN FUTURE!
THE BARBIE'S DRUNKEST MAN SAYS: "Does anyone want some of this lovely soup? I'm going to barbecue some soup. Oh, no, that's just made a big mess. BLEURGH."



CHARCOAL IS FOR DORKS

FlameDisk, £5, from *whois.domaintools.com*
WHAT IS THIS? An apparently amazing eco-friendly innovation set to replace charcoal forever by lighting at top heat instantaneously, and not destroying the Solar System.
THE BARBIE'S DRUNKEST MAN SAYS: "I can keep my hand in the flames longer than you caaaaaAAAAAAARGH!"



BARBIE IN A BUCKET

Lemon & Lime Print Bucket Barbeque, £20, from *amazon.co.uk*
WHAT IS THIS? A barbecue that has been cunningly camouflaged as a bucket of citrus fruit – just like you always wanted!
THE BARBIE'S DRUNKEST MAN SAYS: "I always make sure I have my five a day. Pints of rum, that is! Ahaha. Ahaha. I'm so lonely!"



BUCKETS O'FUN

Party Tub, £60, from *drunkstuff.co.uk*
WHAT IS THIS? A stainless steel bucket for filling with ice, booze, and if someone has an accident, the occasional severed finger.
THE BARBIE'S DRUNKEST MAN SAYS: "I can't believe you're throwing me out for washing the barf off my nuts in this. Why do you lot hate fun?"



PRICEY MOFO

Summit S670, £2,999, from *weberbbq.co.uk*
WHAT IS THIS? A top-of-the-range stainless steel motherfucker, complete with an built-in spit-roaster and a thing called the Sear Station that supposedly guarantees the bestest steaks ever.
THE BARBIE'S DRUNKEST MAN SAYS: "Three grand? That's nothing to me. Oh dear, I've wet myself."

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20 QUESTIONS

ANDY SIX FROM BLACK VEIL BRIDES

HE LOOKS LIKE ONE OF NIKKI SIXX'S SPERM, BUT HOW WILL HE HANDLE OUR TWENTY-QUESTION GAUNTLET?

FYI

- Andy Six's real name is Andrew Dennis Biersack, which is mildly funny.
- The title track from Black Veil Brides' new album was initially going to be used in the movie Scream 4. But then, um, it wasn't...



1 AS A YOUNGSTER, WHAT WAS YOUR FAVOURITE FILM?
Batman Returns. There was the one they put out so kids could watch it, and then the more violent version.

2 WHAT'S THE WORST THING YOU'VE EVER EATEN?
Vegan bacon was disgusting. But I think everything sucks.

3 IF YOU COULD THROW ONE PERSON OFF TV INTO A PEN OF LIONS, WHO WOULD IT BE?
Anyone from a lowest-common-denominator American sitcom with a laugh track, like King Of Queens.

4 IF YOU COULD HAVE A SUPER POWER, WHAT WOULD IT BE?
Flight would be cool.

5 WOULD YOU RATHER BE TOO HOT OR TOO COLD?
Wearing a vest isn't as cool as wearing 50 jackets, so too cold.

6 WHAT MAKES AN AWESOME NIGHT OUT PROPERLY AWESOME?
I spend most of my life on tour, so an amazing show is always good.

7 WHAT IS THE FIRST ALBUM YOU EVER BOUGHT?
KISS, Revenge. I got it from a hipster record store when I was seven. I ruined the coolness of the store.

8 WHAT WOULD YOUR FUNERAL BE LIKE?
I'd like things I didn't enjoy in life – techno and cool people talking about photoshoots.

9 WHO'S THE BIGGEST ARSEHOLE FAMOUS PERSON YOU'VE EVER MET?
I make a point of trying not to meet famous people.

10 HAVE YOU GOT ANY PHOBIAS?
Almost everything. I eat three foods and get gas at the same station every time.

11 WHAT'S THE WORST IDEA YOU'VE EVER HAD?
To become a priest, so I could tell people I'd become a father, and they'd go "Oh, when was your kid born?"

12 WHAT'S THE MOST YOU'VE EVER NEEDED THE TOILET?
Oh, every time I go poop it's an emergency because I forget about it.

13 IF WE GAVE YOU A MILLION QUID AND YOU HAD 24 HOURS TO RINSE IT, HOW WOULD YOU DO SO?
I'd spend it all on production on our stage show. We could get loads of pyro and blow a bunch of people up on stage.

14 WHAT'S YOUR ALCOHOLIC DRINK OF CHOICE?
As a band, we're big fans of Seagram's Seven Crown whisky.

15 WHAT'S THE MOST ILLEGAL THING YOU'VE EVER DONE?
I constantly jaywalk. Let's leave it at that. It'd be uncool to tell you a real thing.

16 WHAT HAVE YOU SEEN THAT YOU REALLY WISH YOU COULD UN-SEE?
My drummer's penis. It changed my life forever. I don't want to see it again.

17 TELL US ONE AMAZING THING WE WOULDN'T KNOW ABOUT YOU.
When I was growing up I played hockey.

18 DO YOU DO SOCIAL NETWORKING SHIT?
I love it. We couldn't have reached our audience without MySpace.

19 WHAT'S THE STUPIDEST THING YOU'VE EVER SAID TO A GIRL?
I told a girl I was Batman.



20 WHY SHOULD PEOPLE GET YOUR NEW ALBUM, TITLE CURRENTLY TBC?
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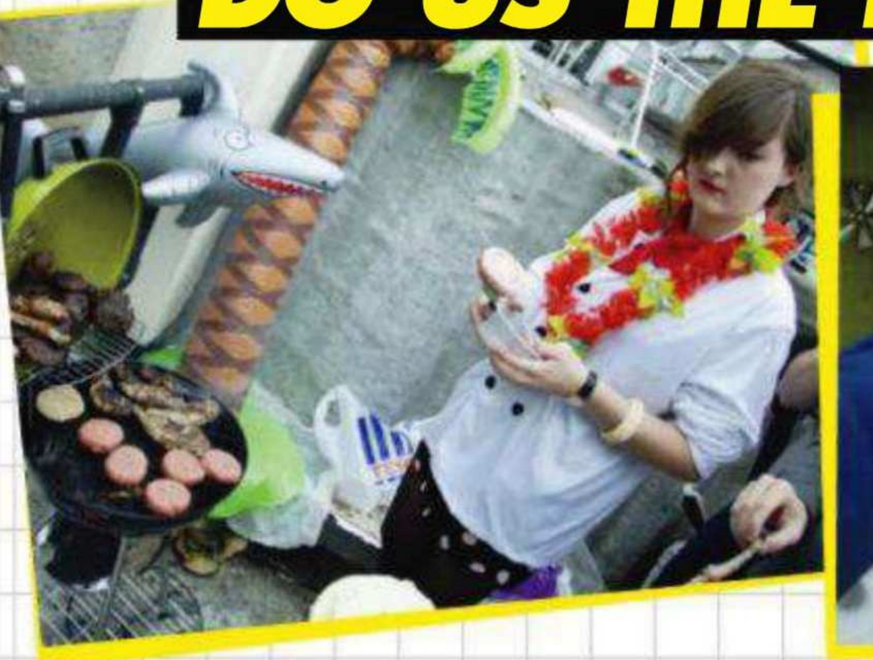
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WORKIE CHALLENGE

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THE WORKIE
Lauren Stajka, 22, from Birmingham.

TEA-MAKING SKILLS
None at first, but gradually cottoned on to the fact that making us tea would make us like her.

iPOD CHALLENGE
Lauren's iPod stayed on all day, although she'd sometimes leap up to press skip, which is sort of cheating.

WEAKEST MOMENT
A few days after this was Hit The Deck, where Lauren was introduced to Handsome Gus from Young Guns and became a giggling 12-year-old.

THE CHALLENGE
Largely for our own meaty benefit, we challenged Lauren to do us a great big mother of a barbecue with more burgers, ribs and sausages than you can shake a shitload of chicken legs at. It started off well enough, with her taking approximately one hour to build the (very basic) barbeque, and two hours to light it.

When the first round of burgers was eventually plated and we were ready to drop dead from food deprivation, we found what we bit into to be, shall we say, a little bit pink on the inside, and a little bit burned-to-a-fucking-cinder on the outside. So we set her three-foot chef's hat (made of more-expensive-than-you'd-think office paper) on fire.

This, coupled with the sheer amount of alcobooze we'd consumed by this point, cheered us up immensely, and also seemed to frighten her into grilling our food for more than four seconds. RESULT.

VERDICT: FAIL

'BEST EVER' IS PUSHING IT, BUT WHAT A PLEASANT AFTERNOON. STILL, NO JOB FOR YOU!

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WHERE AM THEM?

ROCK'N'ROWING

WHY CROWD SURF WHEN YOU CAN CROWD CANOE? BUT CAN YOU SPOT THE OTHER VEHICLE-MISUNDERSTANDERS?

IMAGINE IF you'd read about crowd surfing but never seen it. You'd think "Right, so it's a bit like a thing people do when they're on a platform in the sea, only it's on top of people instead," and if you weren't careful, you'd end up like top electro dude and record company head honcho Steve Aoki here, paddling a dinghy like someone who'd completely missed the point. He hasn't missed the point, of course – Steve Aoki has surfed on more crowds than we've surfed on hot dinners.

Still, we've hidden a couple of people who've had incidents with forms of transport in amongst the beneath-Steve partiers. There's smug Top Gear fuck-head Richard Hammond, who's had the haunted stare of a dead man watching his children hug a stranger ever since crashing a car into nothing, and funny injured man Johnny Knoxville, who's had a broken willy since he fell off a motorbike, then the motorbike fell on his willy.

If you find them, you win a round-the-world trip on an electric unicorn. To redeem it, simply circle the celebrities and feed the magazine to your electric unicorn. Happy hunting!

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FIND THESE TRANSPORT TROUBLEMAKERS

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DO YOUR OWN SHITE, PARTY HARD

WITH ANDREW W.K.

Yesterday, I got on to the subject of live and let live with my manager. I like this idea, a set of ground rules on how to operate in society. But whose idea of society do we adhere to? And at what point do we let the views of others influence us? These questions are powerfully irrelevant but I find it helps me party harder if I think about them...

RULES RULE

Not all rules are bad. A lot of rules are based on laws, and some of those laws are made by the order of nature, and others are extensions of nature that manifest as the laws of humans ⑦like no hitting, no killing, no stealing. I appreciate there's a law against someone punching my mother in the face. I also appreciate that Mother Nature has created her own laws which dictate things like time, the seasons, and the taste of a banana. There are also rules which are not laws, like the stupid rules I had in school against wearing t-shirts with pictures and logos on them.

DON'T TELL PEOPLE WHAT TO DO

The best part about this? It's a half-paradox. If we follow this rule, we're specifically following an order NOT to tell other people what to do, including telling people not to tell people what to do. It's hypocritical. I'm guilty of this. This whole column is sort of me telling people what to do. I don't think my taste at this moment should apply to anyone else, because in a few weeks my taste might not even apply to me. In other words, do your own shite and let everyone else do theirs.

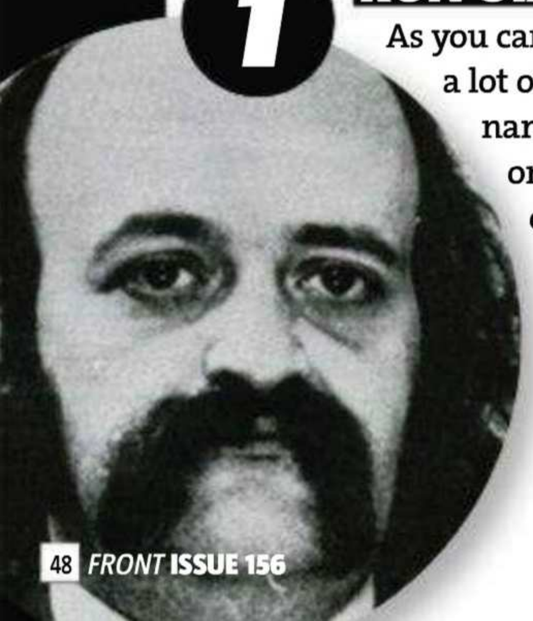
DON'T LISTEN TO PEOPLE

The flip side of the above is much more exciting because it involves saying ⑦FUCK YOU⑦ to anyone who tells you what to listen to, what to eat, or what to do. No one can tell anyone how to live their lives ⑦as long as their way of life doesn't negatively impact IN A SEVERE WAY, the life of another. Life isn't about agreeing with everyone else. If someone behaves in a way that irritates someone else, it doesn't give that person the right to curb that person's behaviour. It's called ⑦dealing with it'. Sometimes you just have to go on with your own business rather than sticking your nose in. In other words, FUCK OFF. Then you have more time to PARTY HARD, anyway.

"IT HELPS ME PARTY HARDER IF I THINK ABOUT RULES"

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THREE AMAZING PEOPLE TO GOOGLE



1 RON STARK

As you can imagine, there are a lot of people out there named Ron Stark, but only one Ron Stark could possibly be at the hidden centre of the mainstream LSD movement. Be warned...

2 ALEISTER CROWLEY

Odds are, you've heard his name. This important British literary and spiritual visionary was also a master poet and mountaineer. Crowley is considered by many, including me, to be a prophet. I recommend the book Perdurabo by Richard Kaczynski.



3 JUDSON FOUNTAIN

The less I try to describe this man, the better. And the more you think you understand what it's all about, the less you actually get it... but in the best way.



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"I CAN COOK SHIT NOW"

HE'S BEEN TO HELL AND BACK, AND HAS THE MEDICAL RECORDS TO PROVE IT. BUT AFTER REFORMING HIMSELF AND HIS LEGENDARY BAND, NIKKI SIXX IS ALL SET FOR A TOUR© AND A BACKSTAGE KNITTING COMPETITION...

HEY NIKKI, YOU'RE OFF ON TOUR WITH MÖTLEY CRÜE AGAIN THIS SUMMER. ARE YOU STOKED ABOUT IT?
Immensely. It's been a while, so I'm excited to play the songs live. Big events in the summer are always a blast.

IT SEEMS LIKE YOU GUYS HAVE BEEN AROUND FOREVER. WE BET TOURING IS A DIFFERENT EXPERIENCE NOWADAYS...
Yeah, it's different. The passion for performance never changes, it's the rock'n'roll antics that we've left behind. But I hope to God someone somewhere is carrying the torch!

SURELY THERE'S SOME MISBEHAVIOUR? YOU DON'T ALL GO BACK TO YOUR ROOM AFTER THE SHOW AND PLAY SOLITAIRE...
Hey man, don't paint us with the solitaire brush! When we're at the venue, we hang out, but none of us really drink these days. It's not like it was ©we're not geared up, fucking girls in the hallway anymore. It's more about the music now, there's no getting sidetracked.

YOU'VE PLAYED SOME MASSIVE GIGS WITH THE CRÜE AND SMALLER VENUES WITH YOUR OTHER BAND, SIXX: A.M. WHICH DO YOU PREFER?
I'm never gonna say I prefer one or the other. But you can't beat the electricity of having Mötley Crüe back together on a big stage. Literally, it's the same pungent smell in the air when we walk into a room today as when we first met. It's like home.

THERE'VE BEEN FALL-OUTS BETWEEN BAND MEMBERS OVER THE YEARS. HOW IS THE DYNAMIC NOW?
There's an acceptance that we each lead different lives. We have our own families now ©we're grown-ups with responsibilities. We don't mingle much away from work, but that's no bad thing. Very few bands all hang out together. But when we do, holy fuck it's great.

LEAD SINGER, VINCE NEIL, SLAGGED YOU OFF IN HIS AUTOBIOGRAPHY LAST YEAR. HE SAYS YOU "ACT LIKE YOU'RE THE MESSIAH." DO YOU?
It's sad that after all these years of singing my lyrics, Vince still doesn't know me. I don't think I'm better than anyone else, but sometimes decisions need to be made. What Vince wrote didn't bother me, I think it hurt the fans' feelings more. Everyone's entitled to their interpretation of reality.

MÖTLEY CRÜE INSPIRED A GENERATION OF NEW BANDS. DO YOU SEE ELEMENTS OF YOURSELVES IN ANY OF THEM?
We took elements of the Sex Pistols and AC/DC and others have since taken bits of ►

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the Crüe – it's like an evolutionary cocktail. The problem nowadays is that too many bands settle on mediocrity. I'd love to mentor a new young band that're really pushing it.

YOU RAISED HELL FOR DECADES, BUT NOW YOU'RE SOBER AND CLEAN. HOW DO YOU MAINTAIN YOUR ROCK STAR EDGE?

Maybe I'm reinventing what a rock star is. Just cos I'm willing to turn my life around now rather than when I'm 70, doesn't make me any less of a rock star. I enjoy being frank. I aspire to undermine myself, to throw myself under a bus...

YOU'VE BARED YOUR SOUL IN YOUR BOOKS. IS IT WEIRD THAT YOUR INTIMATE EMOTIONS ARE AVAILABLE TO ANYBODY?

Not at all. The only thing I won't expose is my relationship with my children. Otherwise I'm open to talk.

YOU DON'T SEEM TO GIVE A SHIT ABOUT HOW YOU'RE PERCEIVED. DON'T YOU EVER GET EMBARRASSED?

I get more embarrassed over little things. Flying over to London, for example, this flight attendant was crocheting. I got up to go to the bathroom and she asked if I wanted to learn how to do it. I said 'My grandmother used to crochet' – in her eyes, I basically said she was the same as my grandma. I always put my foot in it. I couldn't make eye contact with her after that. All I wanted to do was pee.

CAN BEING FAMOUS BECOME A PAIN IN THE ARSE SOMETIMES?

Fans are always really cool. I crashed out on the Eurostar to Paris the other day and someone Tweeted that they saw me sleeping, but he didn't wake me up or take pictures of me – that was real nice. The only thing that bothers me is paparazzi. I try not to live in that celebrity environment, so my kids don't get exposed to the trappings of fame. You walk in my house and it's not very exciting, they're just regular kids with a slightly irregular Dad. But the paparazzi still try to invade my private time and it frustrates the hell out of me.



THE SINGLE COVER BANNED FROM FACEBOOK. BECAUSE AS WE ALL KNOW, ROPES AND GLOVES ARE NAUGHTY

YOU RECENTLY GOT PISSED ABOUT FACEBOOK'S CENSORSHIP POLICY. WE'VE BEEN BANNED FROM PUTTING UP FRONT COVER IMAGES LOADS, SO WE KNOW HOW YOU FEEL...

I sympathise. I got so sick of them deleting my single cover that I ended up posting pictures of myself instead. I hate that Facebook acts all grandiose. They don't set parameters for their censorship, it's just on a whim. It's like if there's a nude painting of their grandmother – that's cool, but a nude photo of her isn't allowed.

YOU PERFORMED AT OZZFEST LAST YEAR. HOW DO YOU GET ALONG WITH OZZY?

Ozzy's the greatest guy. He's funny, witty, and he still looks fucking cool. I fucking love Sharon, too, and I just had dinner with Jack the other day – they're just a wonderful family.

THE 1980S: NOT A STRONG DECADE FOR CHEST HAIR



"TOURING WITH MÖTLEY CRÜE ISN'T LIKE IT USED TO BE – WE'RE NOT FUCKING GIRLS IN THE HALLWAY ANY MORE..."

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"I DON'T EXPOSE MY CHILDREN TO THE TRAPPINGS OF FAME – THEY ARE JUST REGULAR KIDS, WITH A SLIGHTLY IRREGULAR DAD..."

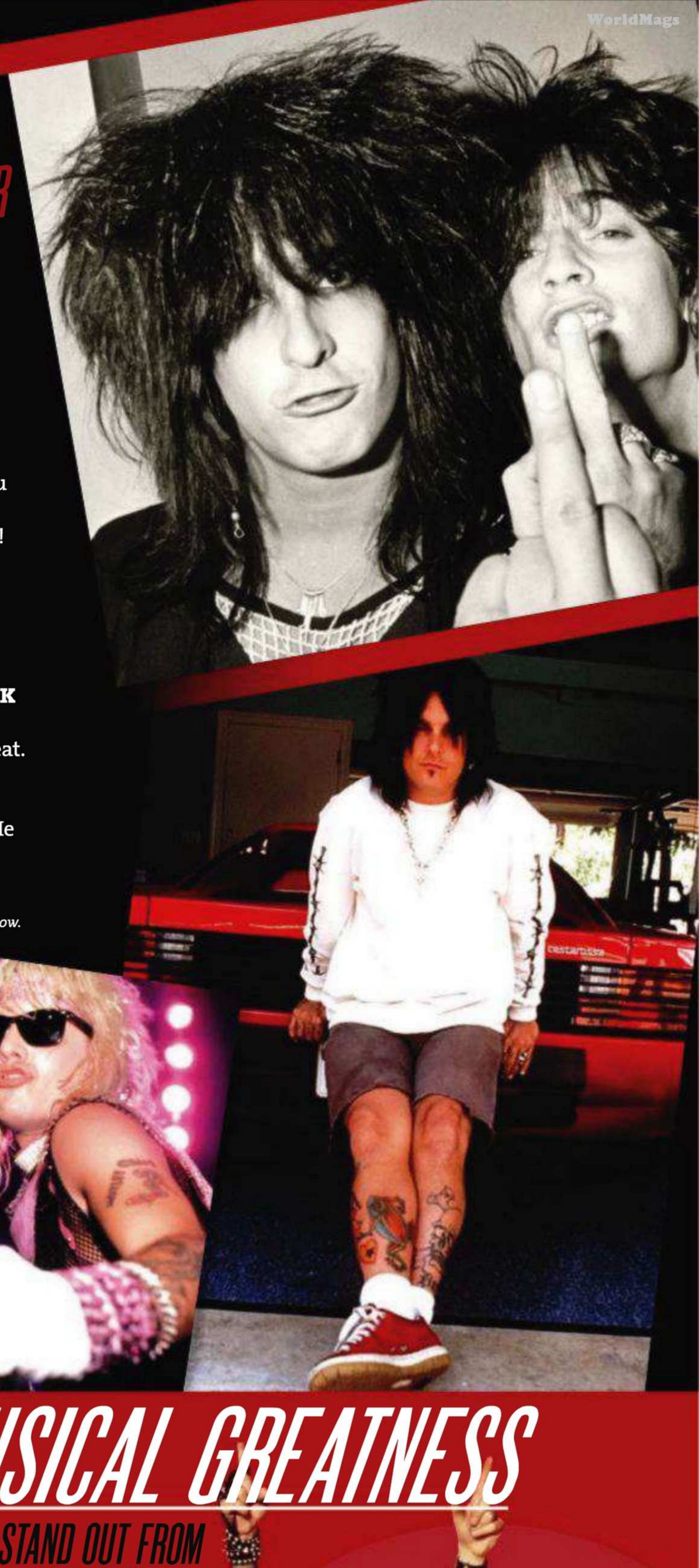
ANY COOL OZZY STORIES?
Years ago in New Orleans, Ozzy wanted to party hard with Tommy Lee and me and Vince and Mick after a Crüe show, but he was dripping in gold crosses and $10,000 watches. So, before he was allowed out, Sharon took all this jewellery off him. It took her ages to get everything off, but she kept saying: "It's for the best Ozzy, we don't want you disappearing and losing all this gold." We couldn't understand why she was being so precious, but once we hit the town Ozzy disappeared. We were like: "Where's Ozzy? I thought you had him!" He turned up the next day in a horrible state – it's a good job Sharon took all that gold off him, really.

YOU SEEM ENDLESSLY BUSY; DO YOU FIND IT IMPOSSIBLE TO RELAX?
I really hammer work, then check out if there's time left over. I've gotten into cooking recently because my girlfriend likes to cook. It's been fascinating because up until now, I've eaten just as a means of fuel to get to the next day. Now I can cook shit, I'm appreciating slowing down, sitting down for a meal and just enjoying it. This sounds like I've lost my edge, doesn't it?

NO COMMENT...
I won't start crocheting, I'll tell you that! Although, I could knit skull caps, or leg warmers for amputees!

ON A SLIGHTLY MORE ROCK'N'ROLL NOTE, RUSSELL BRAND HAS SAID HE'D LIKE TO PLAY YOU IN THE UPCOMING MÖTLEY CRÜE MOVIE, BIOPIC "THE DIRT". HOW DO YOU THINK HE'LL DO?
I like that guy, I'm sure he'll do great. Although, I heard him saying he thinks Tommy Lee's the one that's hung in the trouser department. He needs to realise it's me! FRONT

This Is Gonna Hurt: Music, Photography And Life Through The Distorted Lens Of Nikki Sixx is out now.





NIKKI'S 3 STEPS TO MUSICAL GREATNESS

TAKE A FUCKING CHANCE

"Lots of new music sounds the same these days. The industry has become so formatted for radio that people are no longer willing to take a chance. With Mötley Crüe, we didn't fail; we won because we were willing to go out, make a big noise and take risks. Lady Gaga is willing to push it, the way Elton John, Mick Jagger and Madonna used to. I've a feeling there's a bunch of anarchy brewing in garages out there and I want to hear that on the radio. It's okay if you fail so long as you try – it's almost as exciting when you don't make it, so long as you've taken that risk."

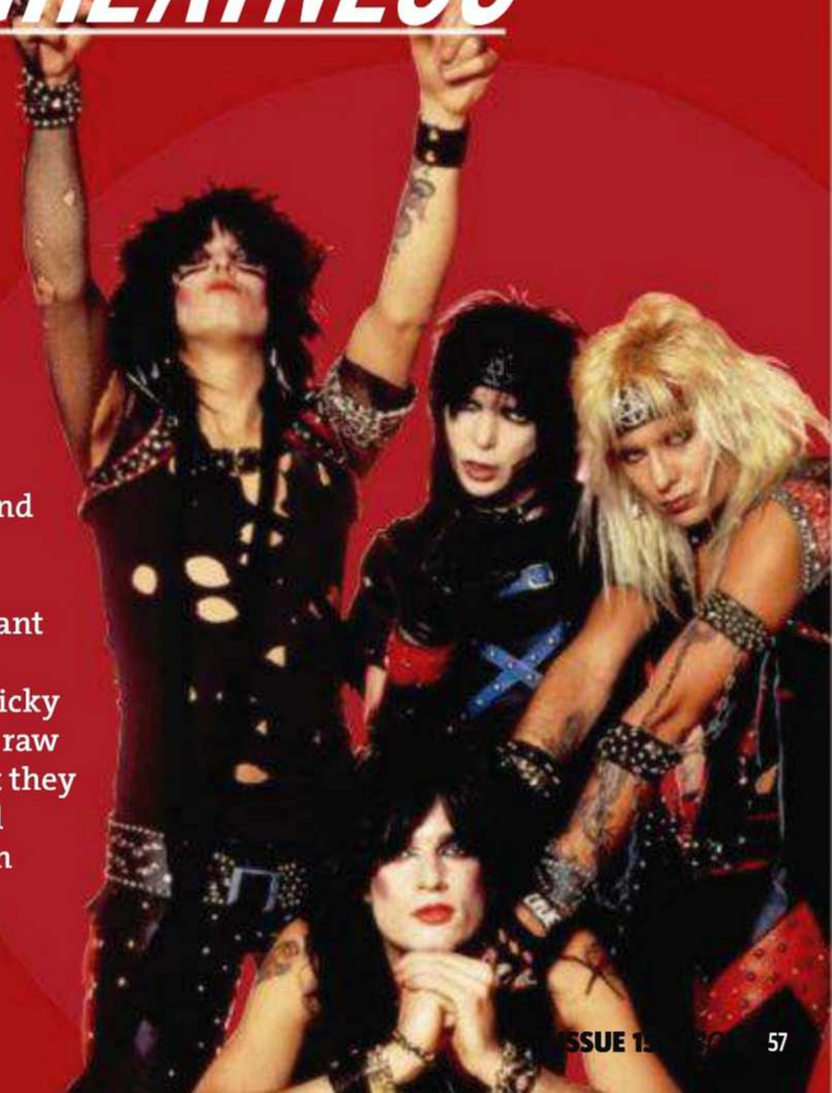
IT'S A VISUAL THANG

"In recent times, we've established the importance of creating a spectacle that appeals to everybody. The internet has changed things – we have fans all over the world who we never knew existed. We had no idea they were craving Mötley Crüe in Russia. So if you want to make the big time, adapt to a global audience and that comes down to the live show. There are so many ways of presenting a show with lights and visuals, it's not about a wall of amps anymore. Explore what's right for your sound and image and make a fucking splash."

STAND OUT FROM THE CROWD

"You need an identity. Don't just create a watered-down version of any band you like. You need to work out who you are as individuals and what you believe in collectively – your style and what you stand for will evolve from there. When I first see a band play, I want to see that they can play without any of the gimmicky stuff. I want to hear their raw talent, I want to hear that they are fucking smoking, and I want to see that they can deliver a performance."





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TASTE TEST: SOPHISTICATED CIDERS

DRINK RESPONSIBLY
IF YOU CAN'T DRINK RESPONSIBLY, DRINK ON A LOVELY BLANKET.

CIDER'S DELICIOUS, BUT IT'S COMMON AS MUCK. WHICH CAN YOU SHARE WITH NICE GIRLS ON A SUMMER'S DAY?

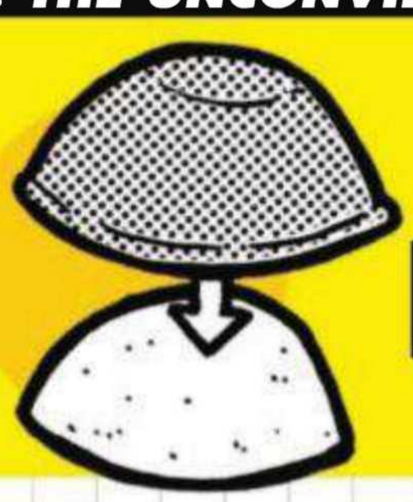


	CLASSINESS	GIRL WHO'LL HIT YOU WHEN YOU'RE PISSED ON IT	FUN FACT	TASTE RATING
WESTONS PREMIUM ORGANIC CIDER *500ML, 6.5% ABV, 3.3 UNITS* £1.89 57p/unit	The use of words 'premium' and 'organic' suggest classiness, but the label's a bit fucking Aldi if you ask us.		Westons hails from the awesomely-named town of Much Marcle in Herefordshire, also birthplace of Fred West.	This is nice and smelly, and a bit ratty but bloody delicious. Women into lumberjacks would like this. **RATING:** Robust, tasty and likely to result in you being too honky-smelling to resist. 4/5
STELLA ARTOIS CIDRE *568ML, 4.5% ABV, 2.6 UNITS* £1.39 53p/unit	There's a lot of gold, which is nice, and a pleasantly no-pissing-about feel to the whole thing.	 [a shopping trolley]	Apparently, it's pronounced 'see-dra' rather than 'cider', because people who speak French don't know what words are.	This tastes posh and fruity, like Robinson's High Juice. I could drink a shitload of this stuff. It's like a weak white wine. **RATING:** Proof that poshness and weakness can go hand in hand. 3/5
THATCHERS KATY ROSE *750ML, 5.4% ABV, 4.1 UNITS* £4.15 £1.01/unit	The accent above the 'e' bodes poshly, and the whole thing looks like wine, which is posher than cider, innit?		There's also a pop star called Katy Rose, who's kind of a babe and had a song on the Mean Girls soundtrack.	This tastes super sweet and seems really refined – like, a long way away form fermented apples. It's nice but super girly. **RATING:** Sweet, delicate and sure to impress women, but fucking pricey. 3/5
ASPALL PREMIER CRU SUFFOLK CYDER *500ML, 7% ABV, 3.5 UNITS* £2.05 59p/unit	'Premier Cru' sounds pretty classily badass – it sounds like the name of a group of gentleman assassins. Marvellous, no?		Premier Cru is apparently especially suitable for drinking with curry. Weird, we didn't get any naan bread hints.	It smells pretty inoffensive, although it tastes halfway between lager, champagne and rancid BO. **RATING:** We had high hopes for this, but things didn't pan out as we'd envisaged. Shame really. 2/5

FRONT GRUB

NO. 31: THE UNCONVINCING VIKING HELMET

1 Do a big fucking pile of **MASHED POTATO**. Press it into a bowl and do it like a sandcastle so it's a nice hat shape.



2 Wodge two boiled **CARROTS** in as horns and press discs of **PEPPERONI** around the top for authentic detailing.



3 Slap it on someone's **HEAD** to turn them into a mighty Norse warrior.



4 Go for that realistic just-stabbed look by tipping a bowl of **TOMATO SOUP** over the top.



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LADY GARDEN

OUR FIVE FAVOURITE LADY BLOSSOMS THIS MONTH

1 ILIA DARLIN

Greece gave the world science, astronomy, philosophy, democracy and mathematics, and now it's gone and topped all of those by unleashing Ilia Darlin on us. Imagine Lady Gaga if she was fitter and all Europe-y, and that's pretty much what you get with Miss Darlin. If anything, she's even nuttier than Gaga: the video for Car Crash has her chopping up ex boyfriends with a massive butcher's knife while singing ‘I kill my lovers if they lie!’ It's the most distressing pop video we've seen since Rebecca Black's.

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2 PREEYA KALIDAS



When Preeya was in EastEnders, she was married to a secretly gay man; then, when she was in Four Lions, she was married to a suicide bomber. The next logical step is to marry a suicide bummer. No wonder she's quitting acting for singing catchy R'n'B songs and dancing round in a pretty dress.



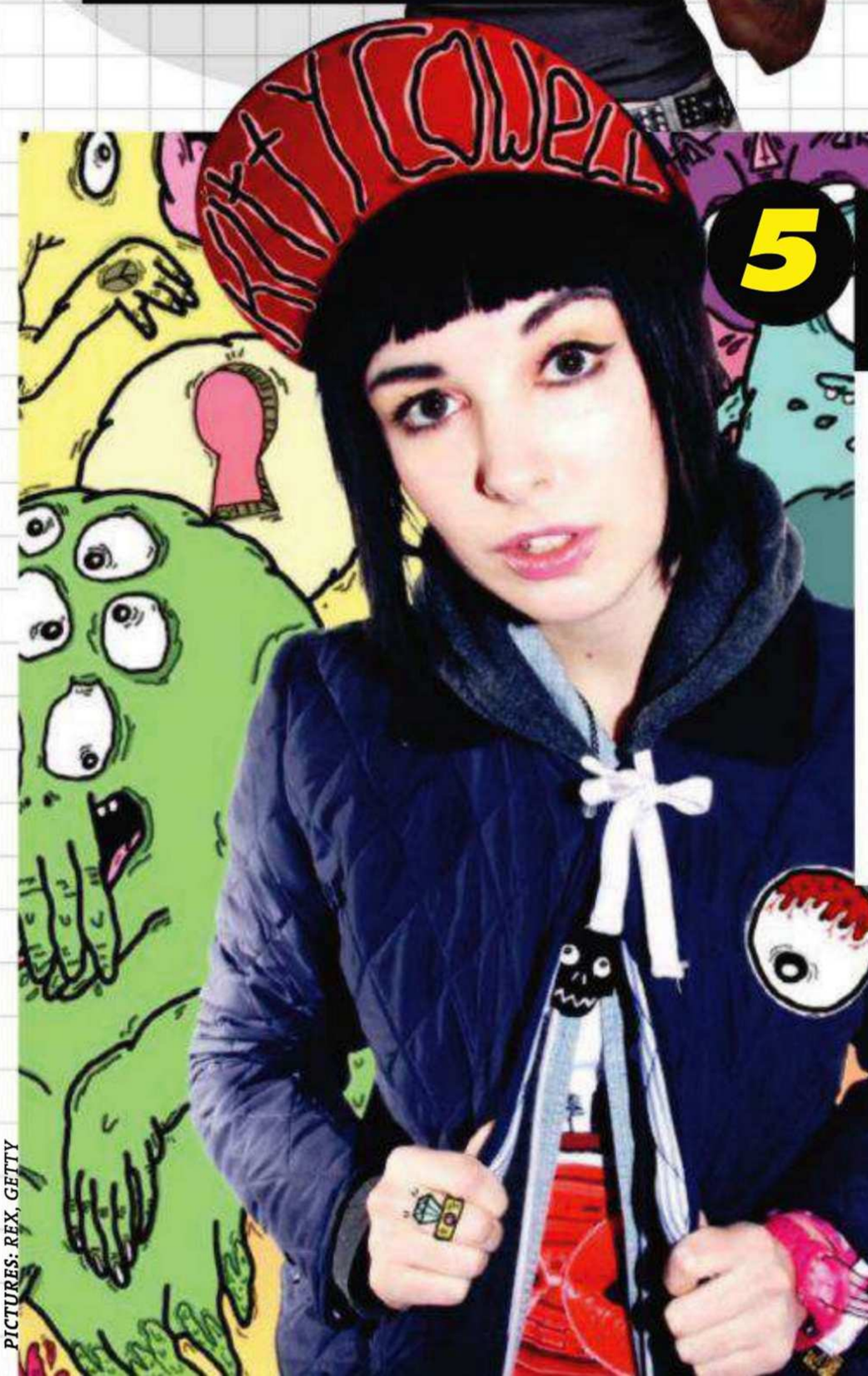
4 ANGEL PORRINO

We love a terrible reality show, and they don't come much terribler than Holly's World, in which plastic-headed Playboy Playmate Holly Madison tries to 'make it' (i.e. gets her fanny out) in Las Vegas. She's assisted by BFF Angel, who is, in fact, way fitter.



3 KARIS ANDERSON

Karis is one-third of new girlypop trio StooShe, whose first single is called Fuck Me. If there's anything better than a pretty lady singing an incredibly rude song about making sweet nudey love, then we've yet to yet to encounter it, and frankly, we doubt its very existence.



5 KITTY COWELL

If you're a true FRONT fan, you'll recall that fitty Kitty appeared as an Alt Girl D.I.Y back in issue 139. Well, now she's branching out into the world of electro-rappin', and very good at it she is too. And if you don't remember Kitty, then you'd bloody well better start memorising every issue cover-to-cover from now on, all right? Fucking slackers.

PICTURES: REX, GETTY

CATERPILLAR OR BUTTERFLY

IT'S SOMETIMES HARD TO TELL IF A LADY IS A WINGED BEAUTY OR A MANY-LEGGED MONSTER. THANKFULLY, THE LADY GARDEN TEAM ARE HERE TO SETTLE SUCH MATTERS☺

THIS MONTH SAMANTHA CAMERON

SHE'S A BUTTERFLY



Angry at David Cameron for closing down all the hospitals and using them to store his jewels, ponies and Rolls-Royces in? You could always get him back by seducing his wife and giving her a night of sexual sex so depraved and intense that poor ol' Dave can never again satisfy her needs. Driven mad by feelings of jealousy and inadequacy, he will become a homeless alcy. Job done!

SHE'S A CATERPILLAR

She might be way fitter than the average politician's wife (two words: Cherie Blair), but like many posh ladies, Sam has a touch of the horse about her. That long face, those huge chompers – you'd be constantly fighting the urge to pop a sugar lump in her mouth. Plus, David Cameron has rubbed his smooth, chinless face all over her – that'd be a tricky image to keep out your mind as you ploughed her mimsy.



VERDICT: BUTTERFLY

WOULD. WHY NOT, EH? WE'D PROBABLY HAVE A GO ON MIRIAM CLEGG AS WELL.

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DUDE OF SPORT

STUFF I'D GRAB FROM A BURNING HOUSE

WITH TOM KNOX

THE STREET-SHREDDING PRO SKATER NOT ONLY NAILS MASSIVE STAIR SETS ⍰HE ALSO EATS AN UNHEALTHY AMOUNT OF JAWBREAKERS...

PASS US THE WERTHER'S, GRANDAD

I'd fucking hate to lose these. They're the most comfortable slippers ever, and I stick them straight on when I get in from a skate. I once wore them to a mate's house, because I didn't think we'd be going out. Turns out we were, so I just wore them into town. I looked like The Dude from The Big Lebowski.

BAG MAN

I get sent loads of free stuff from Analog, they treat me dead good. Whenever I need clothes, they'll sort me out. I get four pairs of shoes a month, and it's not uncommon for me to get through two pairs a week if I'm on a trip. I've probably got about 50 t-shirts at home right now.

MINI MAG

I was stoked to get two double pages in this magazine. It's a small, free publication based on skating around the capital. All the photos are shot on black and white film, and it's pocket-sized, so dead easy to roll around with.

ILLUSTRATION: ANDRES GUZMAN PICTURE: ALEX DE MORA

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NON-BOOZY BEER

You've gotta love a bit of ginger beer. It's my favourite fizzy drink. The ginger makes it never go flat. I'm not a massive boozer, so this is a good substitute. Like, I'll definitely have several beers if I'm out for a night, but it's a pretty rare occurrence. I'm only 20 so there's time for all that in the future.

MY TUNES

I'm big into my guitar and folk, which is a bit different for a skater. Most guys like to hype themselves up with metal and drum'n'bass, but I'm happy with a bit of Leonard Cohen and Dick Gaughan. I'd rather chill out a little bit.

HIT THE DECK

I ride Blueprint decks, which is quite a big deal for me. All my favourite skaters when I was growing up, like Nick Jensen, rode for Blueprint and it's cool as fuck to be doing the same. It's tough skating street in cities, cos I'll get stopped by the police and handed a ticket. I must have had about 20 or 30.

JAW-DROPPING JAW BREAKERS

This is my one massive vice. Fireball Jawbreakers are amazing! I've collected the wrappers for each one I've bought since I was 5. These ones are just from 2009-10, and bearing in mind some have been lost or thrown, that's a hell of a lot. I'm mad for the sweet, spicy flavour.

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STEPHY GREGORY

18, from Manchester
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MEET THE AMAZING STEPHY, A GIRL WHO MAKES SWEATY MOSH PITS THE SEXIEST THING EVER...

WHAT ARE YOU UP TO RIGHT NOW? I'm in my PJs, about to get on with a bit of Call Of Duty.
DAY JOB: I'm a support worker.
DREAM JOB: Something that's rewarding and gets me rich, like a doctor. Is that too much to ask?
BEST THING ABOUT BEING A FRONT ALT GIRL? Having sexy photos of yourself printed in the best mag ever!
WHO DO YOU HAVE A CRUSH ON? Alex from Chelsea Grin. He's tidy.
TURN ONS: Sexy faces, and those amazing hip lines that blokes have.
TURN OFFS: Liars and cheaters. Everyone hates a dickhead. ▶



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"My perfect night involves waking up remembering the trail of destruction I've left behind"

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"I love to dance dirty in just my underwear"

TALK US THROUGH YOUR TATTOOS/PIERCINGS... I've only got five piercings so far. Obviously I have loads of tattoos, but my fave is on my leg. It's dedicated to my nan.

FAVOURITE FILM: It's called The Collector, and it's a proper slasher horror. The gorier the better.

FAVOURITE ALBUM: My staple is Take Off Your Colours by YM@6.

FAVOURITE FOOD: A good Maccy D's. I'll super size, depending on how hungover I am.

HEELS OR TRAINERS? Heels, then recovering in trainers.



BOOZE DRINK OF CHOICE: Cherry Sours with Coke FTW. It's like an amazing boozy Cherry Cola.

FIRST GIG: Bring Me The Horizon back when I was 14. They were just starting to get big and I saw them in a really tight, intimate venue.

LAST GIG: The Ghost Inside in Manchester. Amazing.

PERFECT NIGHT OUT: Plenty of booze, and waking up remembering the trail of destruction you've left behind you.

PERFECT NIGHT IN: A total veg-out with a cracking movie like Step Brothers.

CLAIM TO FAME? I hung out with Bury Tomorrow when I was modelling a clothing line. They were proper nice guys, too.

SEXY/MIND-BLOWING FACT ABOUT YOU: I love to dance dirty in just my underwear. Not when I'm in town, but at home.

I'VE A SECRET PASSION FOR... I love Grey's Anatomy. It totally works with my sarcastic sense of humour. FRONT

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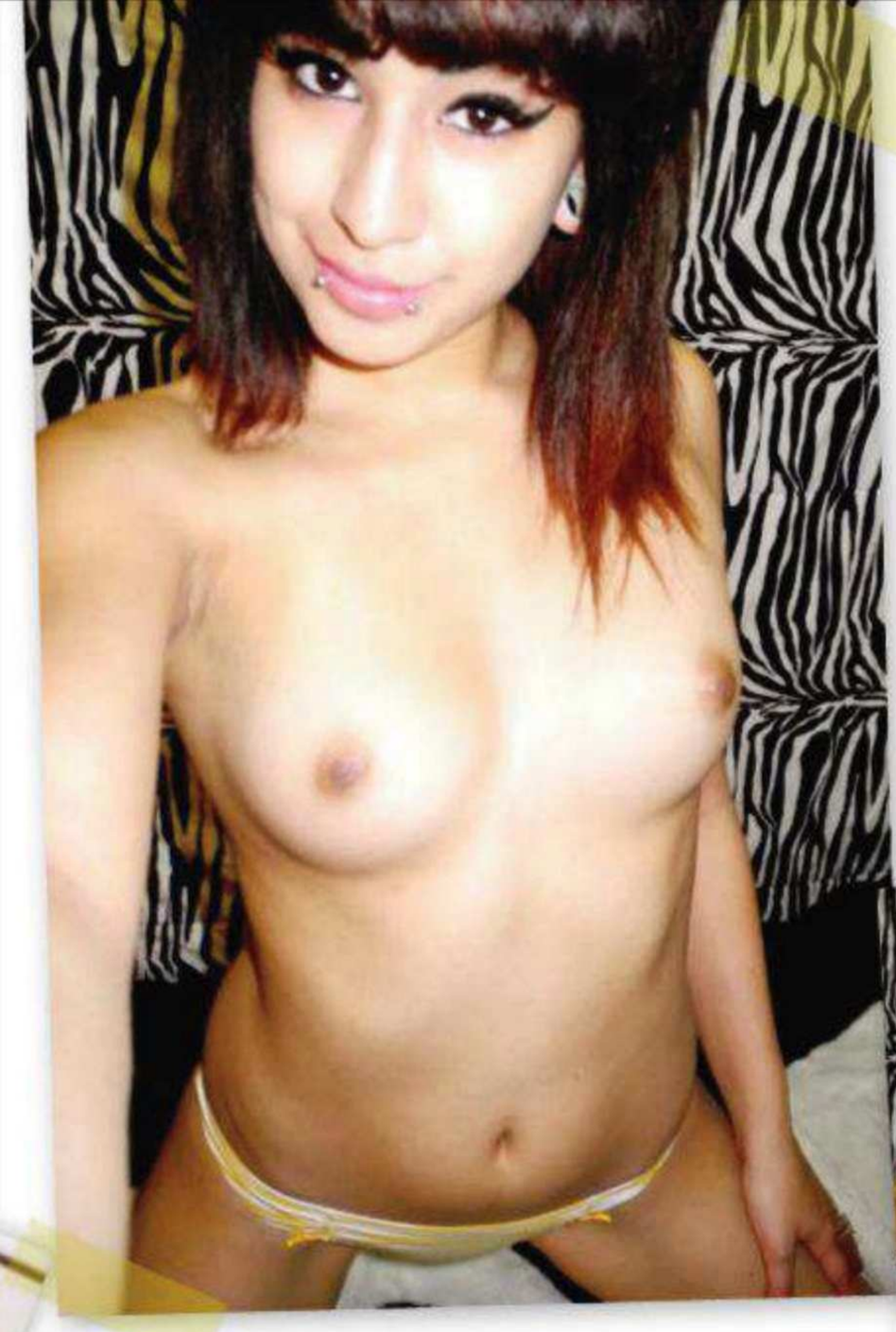
25, FROM AUSTIN, TEXAS
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WHAT ARE YOU UP TO RIGHT NOW?
Trying to convince my puppy that my sock isn't a toy. It's really not working ☹she loves my socks.

BOOZE OF CHOICE?
Lone Star beer. I'm a Texas girl, and a cheap date.

PERFECT NIGHT OUT?
Start with plenty of drinks, and end in a hot tub smoking tea sticks.

FIRST GIG?
Coheed And Cambria at SXSW. I stole my mum's car to get there. It was totally worth the driving ban.



MADALYNN FOX

18, FROM SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA
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WHAT ARE YOU UP TO RIGHT NOW?
About to shoot a set of pics with Godsgirls.
FAVOURITE ALBUM?
Mellon Collie And The Infinite Sadness by Smashing Pumpkins. Best album EVER.
ARE YOU INTO TATTS AND PIERCINGS?
I'm not inked yet, but I have a snakebite, an industrial piercing and an anti-eyebrow.

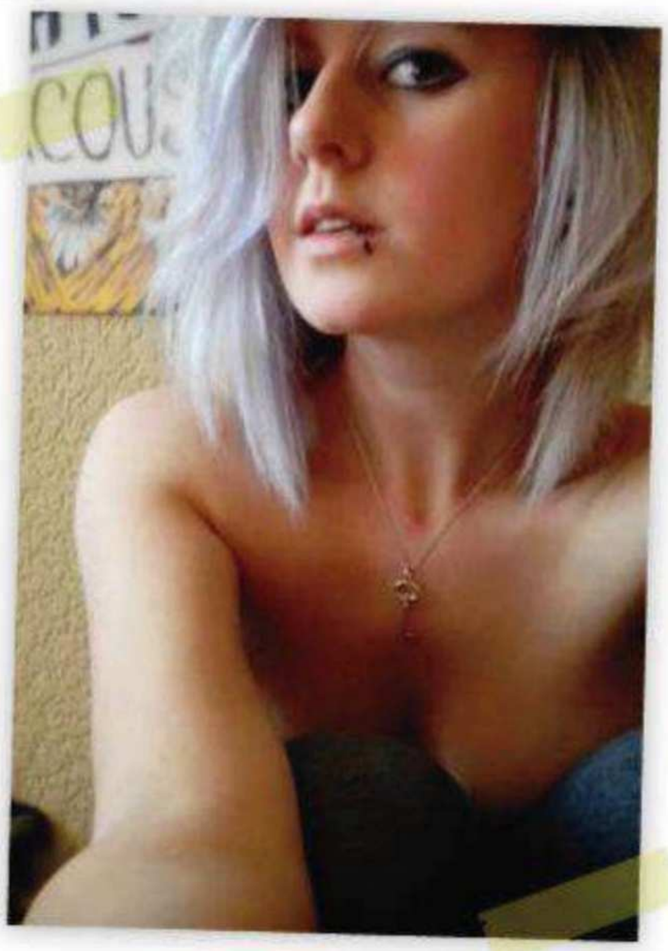


SIAN BROWN

19, FROM WALSALL

WHAT ARE YOU UP TO RIGHT NOW?
Chilling in bed watching my one guilty pleasure: Glee.
WHAT'S YOUR PERFECT NIGHT OUT?
I love a night at Uprawr in Birmingham.
FIRST GIG?
I think it was Lostprophets.
ANY SECRET PASSIONS?
It's no secret that I love to surf. I'm not amazing but I enjoy it.





EMMA SMITH

21, FROM MANCHESTER
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WHAT ARE YOU UP TO RIGHT NOW?
Pre-drinking a pint of vodka and cranberry before hitting a pub quiz. Not sure what it'll do for my intelligence levels, though.
TALK US THROUGH YOUR TATTOOS.
I have four: a star/heart on my foot, initials on my wrist, star on my hip and feathers on my ribs.
BOOZE OF CHOICE?
Cider and black. I'm a real lady.
PERFECT NIGHT OUT?
Plenty of booze beforehand, then out to somewhere that lets me wear Vans.

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INSTANT EXPERT

NO. 50 THE PERFECT HIGH FIVE





FIG. 1 DON'T OVERTHINK THIS, YOU IDIOT

The two saddest things in the world are 1) carefully planning a high five and 2) fucking it up. These are the worst things that could ever happen. Just do it, yo. It's not science.



FIG. 2 AIM FOR THE ELBOW

As you and your co-fiver swing your arms towards one another, keep your eyes firmly fixed on his or her elbow. For reasons no human mind can fathom, you'll get 'em perfectly on the hand.



FIG. 3 LOUD AND PROUD

For extra volume, slightly cup your hand. Not insanely, just slightly. You'll add a fun and exciting echoey noise to it all, and bust eardrums for miles with your radness.



FIG. 4 EMBRACE YOUR POSITION

Dude, you're clearly the future of partying. Everyone'll be flocking from thousands of miles around to smack flesh with you, you good-times monster! You'll be fist-bumping naked ladies while guzzling beer from a golden keg in no time.

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SUNDAY STAGE

SILENT SIGHT

ALL SHALL PERISH

AFTER THE BURIAL

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SILENT SCREAMS - WITH ONE LAST BREATH

PROUDLY BY HONOUR OVER GLORY

SATURDAY STAGE

Your Demise

BRUTALITY WILL PREVAIL

LAST WITNESS - HEART OF A COWARD
HERO IN ERROR - BREAKING POINT
BAYS - BROKEN TEETH

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THE DICTATOR

HE'S IN CHARGE OF SOME FARAWAY LAND YOU'VE PROBABLY NEVER HEARD OF, AND RULES WITH AN IRON FIST – WHICH HE SOMETIMES HAS INSERTED INTO HIS ENEMIES



WHAT HE SAYS

I RULE MY PEOPLE NOT BECAUSE I AM HUNGRY FOR POWER, BUT SIMPLY BECAUSE I KNOW WHAT IS BEST FOR THEM. I AM THE FATHER OF THIS NATION.

WHAT HE MEANS

I am actually the father of over 1,500 children because part of the great nation's constitution (which I wrote) allows me to drive round the streets in a tank, selecting women who I am attracted to, buying them a burger and some fries and then impregnating them. They like it – they get a certificate when the child is born. Oh, and a voucher for more burgers.

WHAT HE SAYS

I WAS DESTINED TO BECOME THE LEADER OF THIS GREAT NATION. IT IS ALMOST LIKE GOD CHOSE ME FOR THIS ROLE.

WHAT HE MEANS

Or maybe it has something to do with the fact that my father was in charge for 50 years before I took office. While other children played doctors and nurses, I was allowed to control the health budget from the age of five, my decisions made with the help of a nine-sided solid gold dice and the wisdom of Ringo, my pet spider monkey.

WHAT HE SAYS

TO SAY THERE IS NO FREEDOM OF SPEECH HERE IS LAUGHABLE.

WHAT HE MEANS

Anyone who says there is no freedom of speech will be removed from their home at 4.35am without warning. They will be taken to one of our 187 National Opinion Realignment Centres where they will be educated with light poisons, red hot skewers and experimental tongue surgery. Soon we will all think and say the right things.

WHAT HE SAYS

IF THE PEOPLE DID NOT WANT ME TO LEAD THEM, I'M SURE THEY WOULD LET ME KNOW AND I WOULD HAPPILY STAND DOWN.

WHAT HE MEANS

That isn't going to be happening any time soon. Not while it's compulsory for every adult to dress in the same leopard skin jumpsuit I wear for my weekly televised lectures. That, and the fact that I've pioneered total mind control through a combination of intense voodoo and a hallucinogenic gas that's pumped into every single household. Death to the West!

WHAT HE SAYS

LOOK – IF MY METHODS OF LEADERSHIP WERE WRONG, SURELY THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY WOULD PROTEST OR TAKE ACTION AGAINST ME. BUT AS YOU CAN SEE, THEY DO NOT.

WHAT HE MEANS

Perhaps the leaders of foreign countries are impressed by my population control methods (enforced castration of any man under five foot ten), or my zero per cent unemployment figures (ongoing Human Rat drain maintenance programme). I will ponder my country's vast oil reserves while I try to figure out which it is...

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HISTORY IS AWESOME

MARADONA'S 'HAND OF GOD' GOAL

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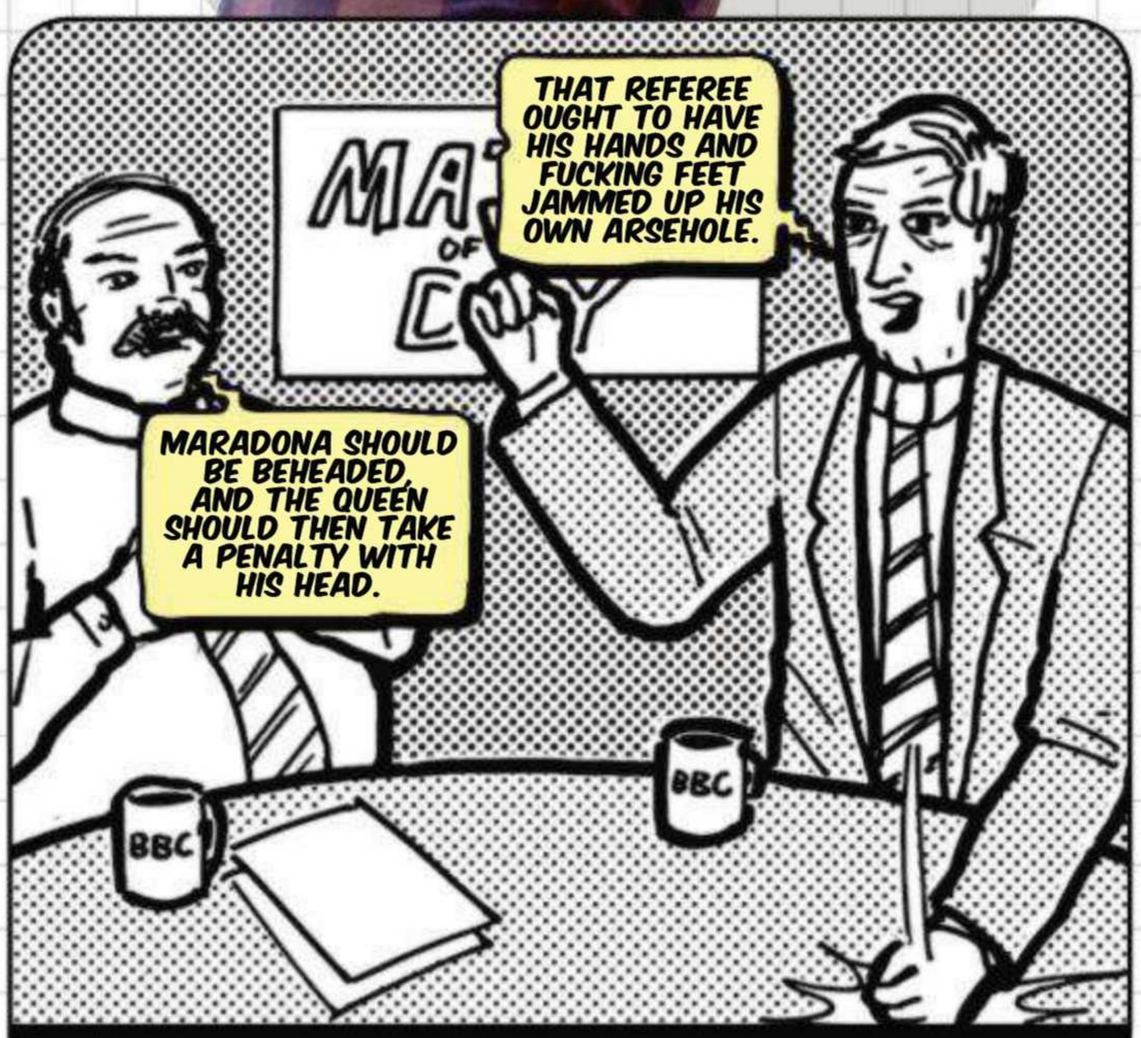


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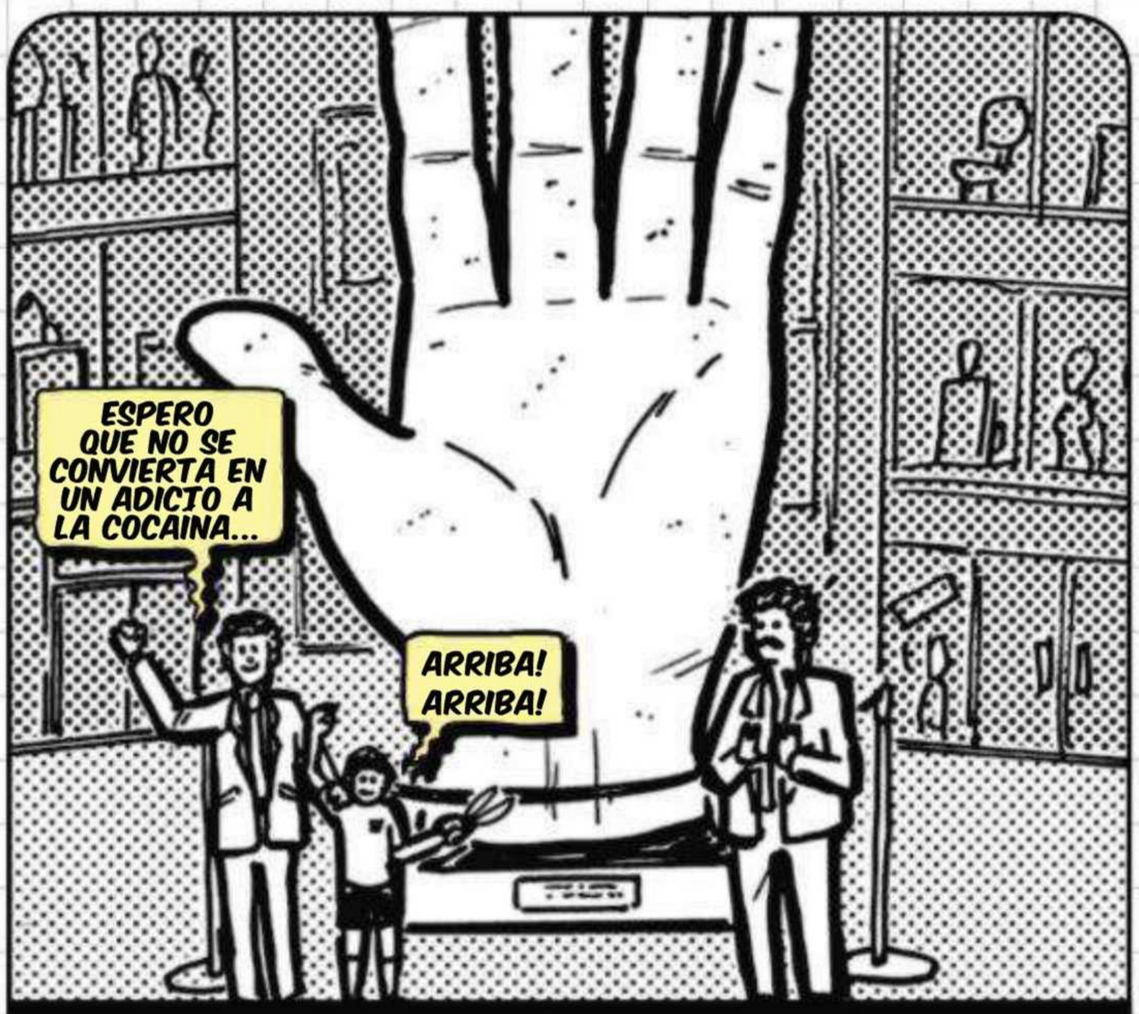
- Maradona and Madonna are brother and sister.
- At the height of his cocaine addiction, Diego was snorting 18 bin bags of the stuff an hour.
- Maradona once kicked a ball so hard, it smashed through the net and knocked out the teeth of 50 people in the crowd.



THE WORLD CUP QUARTER FINAL, ENGLAND VERSUS ARGENTINA; 2FT 5IN DIEGO MARADONA BOINGS PAST PETER SHILTON TO SCORE THE HAND-BALLIEST GOAL OF ALL TIME.



WOUND UP TO THE POINT OF HOMICIDE BY SLO-MO VIEWINGS OF THE REPLAY, THE REACTION FROM ENGLAND'S FOOTBALL PUNDITS WAS PREDICTABLY IRATE.



BACK IN ARGENTINA, HOWEVER, DIEGO WAS A NATIONAL HERO. AN ENORMOUS SCULPTURE OF HIS HAND WAS UNVEILED IN THE CENTRE OF BUENOS AIRES.



SADLY, MONEY AND FAME QUICKLY WENT TO MARADONA'S HEAD, AND HE WENT FROM BEING A 500MPH MIDGET GENIUS TO A LARDY, BOOZE-SWIGGING COKE-FIEND.

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Jamie ‘ Argh’ Morley - Ollie out to Nosepick - Photo: Rich West

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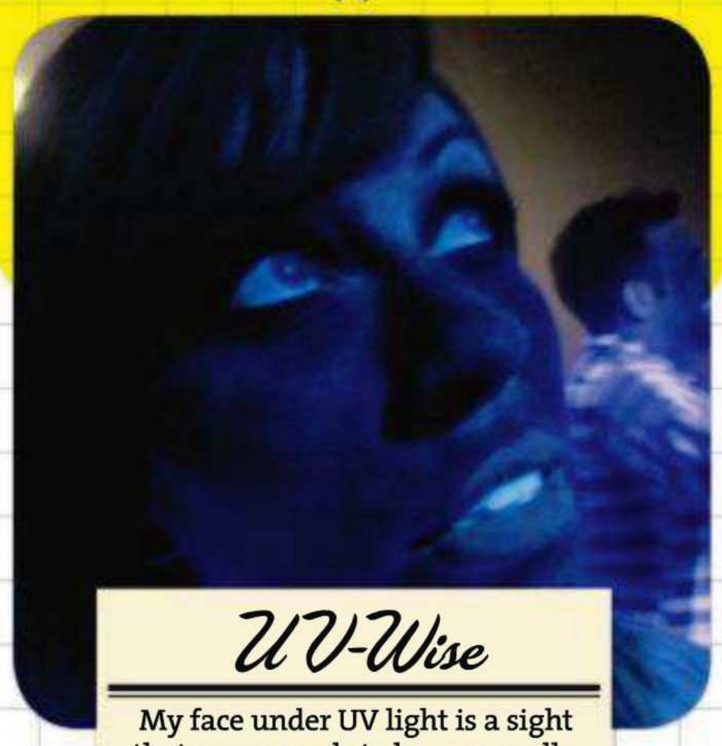
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This month's AMAZING ADVENTURES



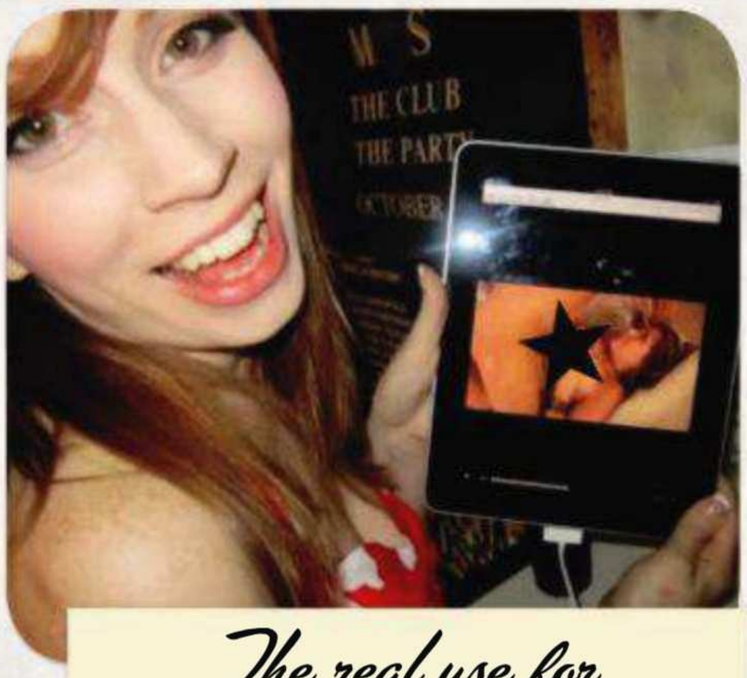
UV-Wise

My face under UV light is a sight that never needs to be seen really. It's enough to give kids nightmares.

I got drawed on

There always comes a point in the night when pens come out of nowhere and fake tattoos get drawn on. I think that's supposed to say ☺syphilis'. Stay in school, kids.



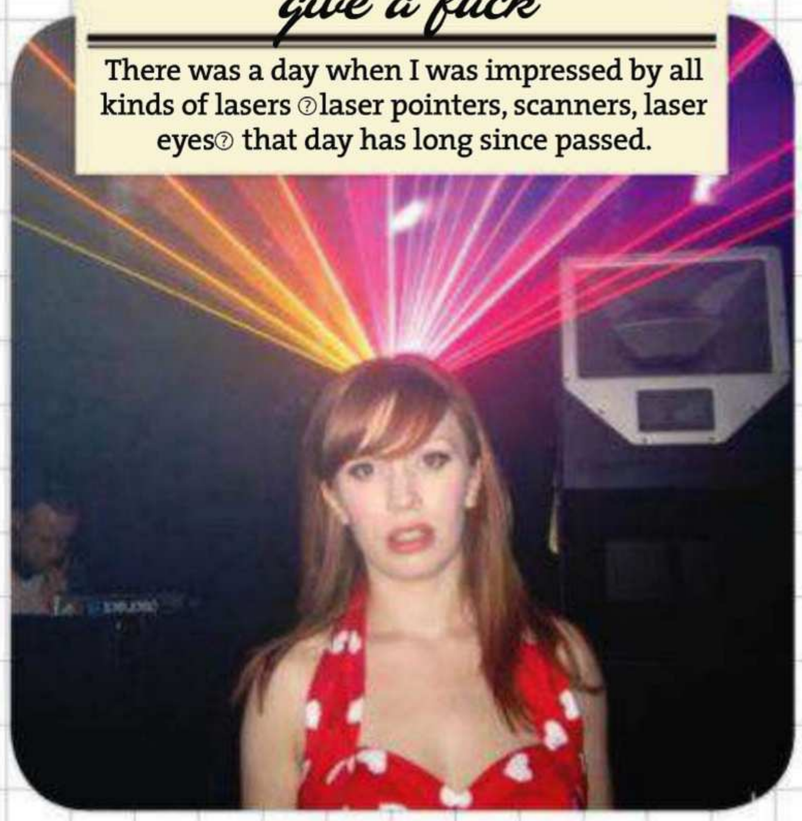


The real use for the iPad

Most people use the iPad for work or Angry Birds. I use it to scare grannies on the bus by showing them hardcore porn videos. It's the only way.

Reach for the... give a fuck

There was a day when I was impressed by all kinds of lasers ☺laser pointers, scanners, laser eyes☺ that day has long since passed.





Just going that one step too far

No matter where I am, I will always find that stray taxidermy duck to go all the way with and creep out my friends.

Sim-Wise's HOUSE-WARMING OF MY DREAMS

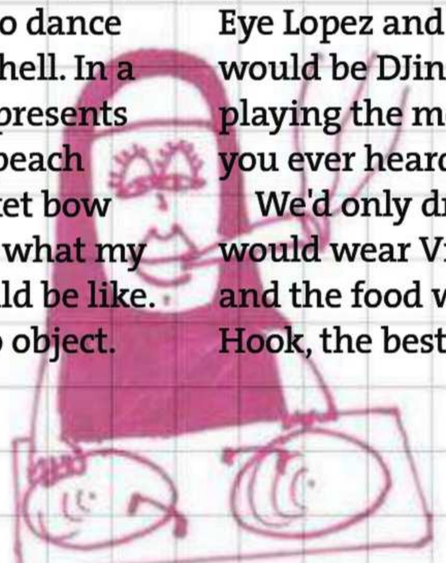
I HAD A housewarming this month. I wouldn't go so far as to say it was the best housewarming of all time, but it was pretty close. Cakes were made, drinks were spilt, police officers turned up at 3am to dance to Kate Bush☺ It was all kinds of hell. In a good way. I even got given some presents ☺an orchid plant and a bottle of peach Lambrini with a bacon crisp packet bow (nice touch). It got me imagining what my dream housewarming party would be like. Say, if money and reality were no object.

PARTY PLANNING

First off, I'd hold it in a major landmark, like Big Ben. The bottom floor would be a bouncy castle made out of tramps to trap all the undesirables and people I didn't invite, as the tramps are actually robots that have been programmed with the exact guest list of my party (cunning).

The second floor would be like that bar in From Dusk Till Dawn and full of exotic go-go dancer babes, dodgy looking Mexican dudes and tequila. Then the top floor would have all the coolest (mainly dead) people in the world, like Bob Ross, Lisa Left Eye Lopez and Jessica Rabbit. Andrew W.K. would be DJing with a nun and they'd be playing the most awesome party tunes you ever heard.

We'd only drink mead and everyone would wear Viking helmets and Kigus, and the food would be like the food in Hook, the best thing you ever tasted. Then, at midnight it would turn out that Big Ben was secretly a space ship, so then it would take off and we'd all be partying hard until the end of time. I think that would be quite a good housewarming.



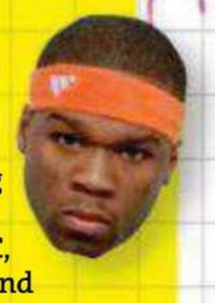


WHAT I LIKES this month

KIDZ POP
Fake non-alcohol for kids is the future. It tastes like fizzy sweets.



MID-'90S GANGSTA RAP AND R'N'B
Not modern rap and R'n'B, that's rubbish (apart from 50 Cent's face). I'm talking Dr. Dre, Nate Dogg, Snoop, TLC, Jodeci, Aaliyah and Montell Jordan, yeahhh☺



MAD MEN
I literally only just started watching it (I know, I'm mad late), and it is well good.

OFWGKTA
I know I just said modern rap is rubbish, but Odd Future are sick.

OFWGKTA

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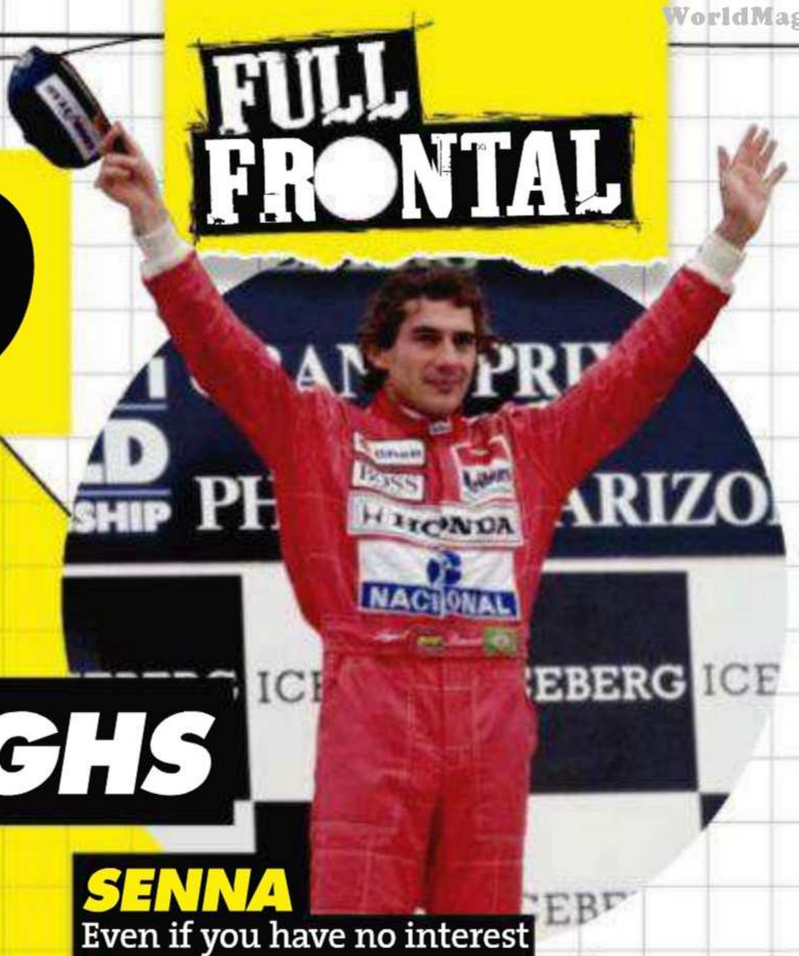
GOOD SHIT



TABASCO OLIVES

Olives are girly. Tabasco is manly. These are the eating equivalent of a Yin-Yang.

THIS MONTH'S HIGHS

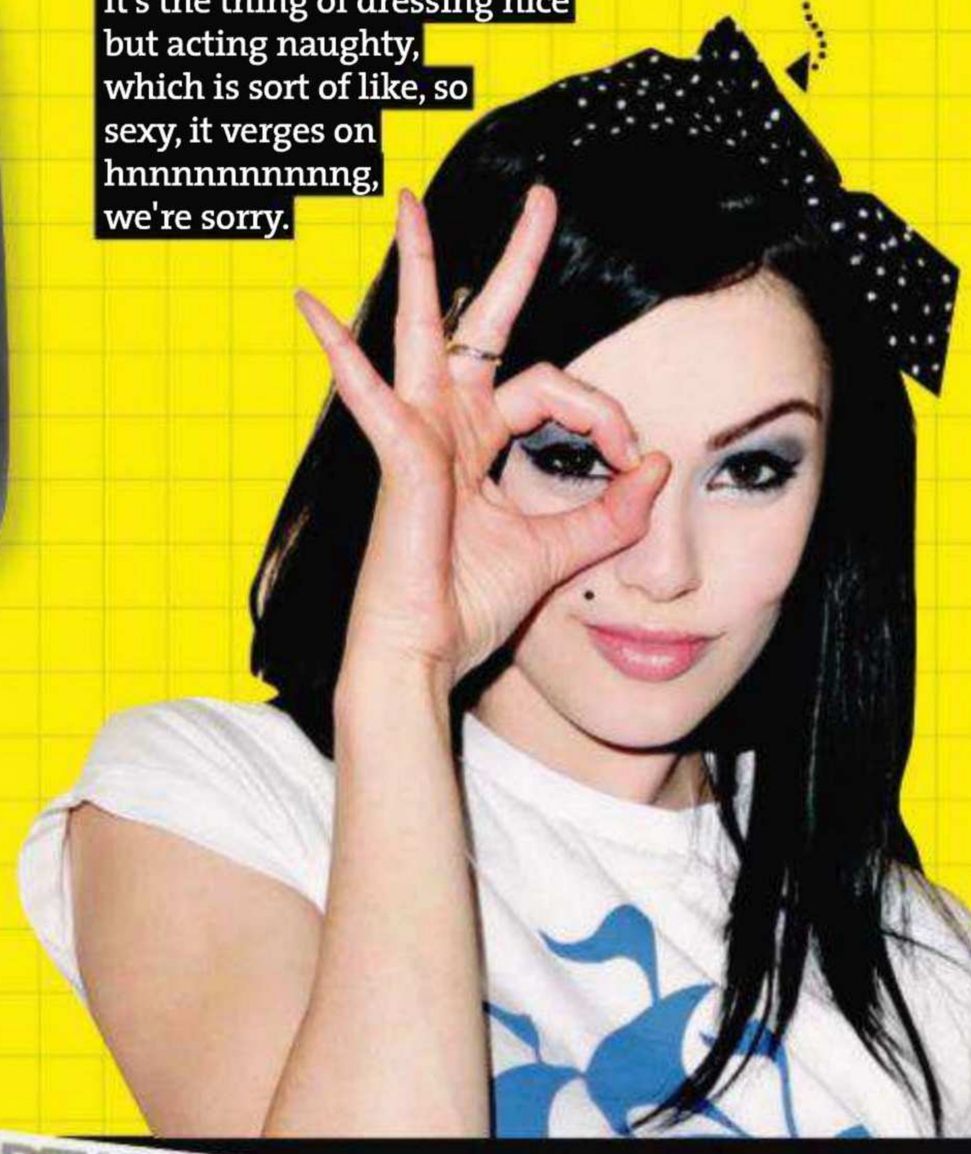


SENNA

Even if you have no interest in Formula 1, this documentary about the late Ayrton Senna is fucking ace, and will make you drive like a fucking maniac.

GIRLS WITH BOWS IN THEIR HAIR

It's the thing of dressing nice but acting naughty, which is sort of like, so sexy, it verges on hnnnnnnnnnng, we're sorry.





THINGS THAT AREN'T TRANSFORMERS BUT HAVE TRANSFORMER NAMES

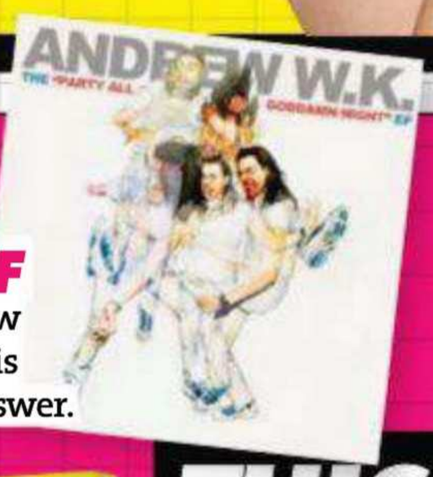
Check out this hand dryer. It's called Xlerator. That's brilliant.



FARTING/BURPING PERFECTLY AT KEY MOMENTS IN MUSIC

The ?Hey?bit in Smells Like Teen Spirit is a good 'un, for instance.

BAD SHIT



OVERSEAS PEOPLE GETTING BETTER STUFF

This is Andrew W.K.'s new Japan-only EP. How cool is the cover? Very, is the answer.

SUMMER DRINKERS

Where are you bastards the rest of the year? We're committed, you fairweather fucks.



THIS MONTH'S LOWS



MULTIPACK MISHAPS

Buying stuff in multipacks is cheaper, but you always end up with at least two bags of the nastiest-flavoured shit in the world, like cowpat-flavoured Skips or toothpaste Walkers.

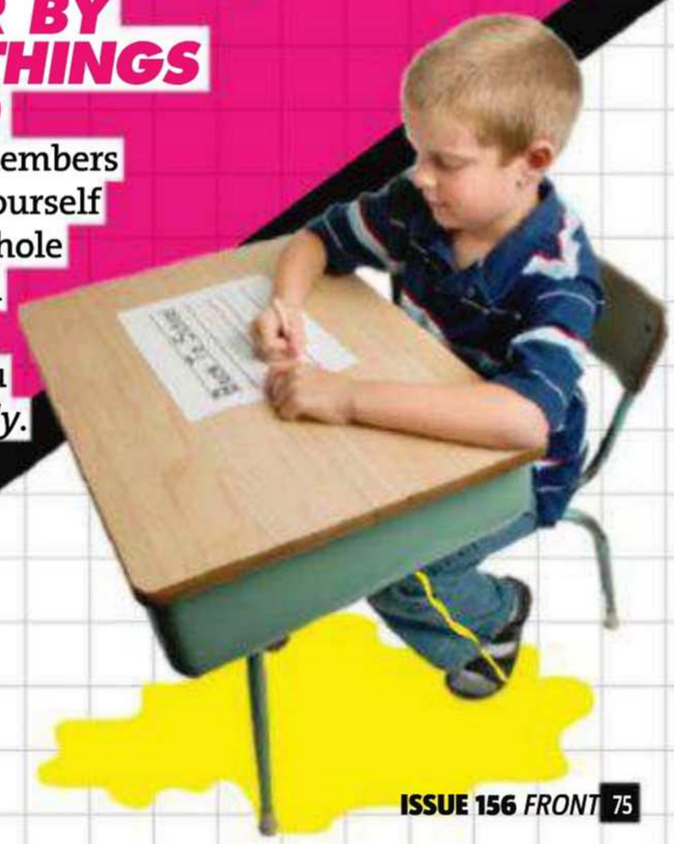


REALISING YOUR FLY IS DOWN

It only happends halfway through the day when you're like ?Shit, has everyone been able to see my dick this whole time??

BEING HAUNTED FOREVER BY STUPID THINGS YOU DID

Nobody else remembers when you wet yourself in front of the whole school when you were 11. But you remember it. You remember it *daily*.



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THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF SUMMER

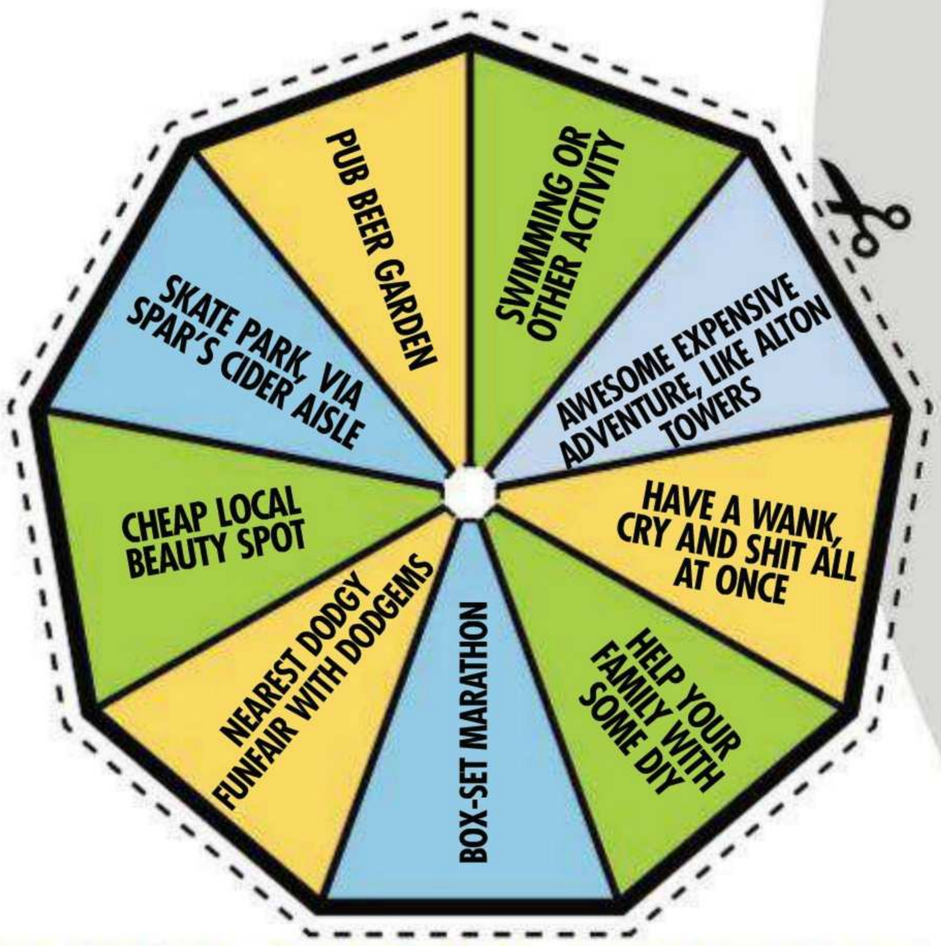
MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR SUMMER: FOLLOW OUR FLABBY TITBITS OF ADVICE AND YOU'LL BE RACKING UP THE ROADTRIPS, LINING YOUR LIVER AND BATTING AWAY THE BLOWIES IN NO TIME!

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THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF SUMMER

1 THOU SHALT... COVET THE GREAT OUTDOORS!

If you find yourself with a sunny evening and no plans, use our handy cut-out-and-keep spinny top to decide what to do! Cut it out, mount it on cardboard, stick a pencil through it. Note: if you have fuck-all money and transport, spin again!



2 THOU SHALT... MAKE MONEY IN INTERESTING WAYS

OPEN UP A POP-UP ICE-POP SHOP! As the Iceland adverts show, mums buy all sorts of unnecessary shit. Therefore, they won't notice when we half-inch their jumbo pack of Price Shitters Ice-Polez from the freezer and flog them down the park for a quid a pop. Watch out for Mr Whippy though, he gets a bit stabby if someone lands on his turf.

GET A SHIT SUMMER JOB! Cafés and bars are always screaming out for pot washers at this time of year. Simply do a 'trial shift' at every establishment in town and rack up a series of minimum wage packages – plus tips if you're lucky. And you'll be able to try this again next year, with the addition of a Smiffy's fake moustache, biro tattoos and a cockney accent.

SELL YOUR BODY! Lonely spinsters are at their loneliest in summer, what with everyone else having fun and making friends. Take out an advert at the local newsagent and before long, you'll be up to your nuts in money-spinning trysts. After a few trips to Pizza Express and some bullshit anecdotes, you'll have made enough readies to fund a season of sun-blessed booziness. Scared of being recognised? Don't worry, just apply your Smiffy's fake moustache and accent you used to be in the French navy. This will only add to your gigolo sophistication.



3 THOU SHALT... LOOK AFTER THY OWN IMAGE

You can't face the glorious sun looking like Stig Of The Dump. Take on these handy tips and you can call yourself John McDapper-tits right away.

HAIR TODAY, GONE TOMORROW!

Haircuts are expensive and an unnecessary luxury. That said, your local college is bound to have a beauty department that'll your fertile scalp for its hapless students to practice on. Looking a bit special needs for a few days is worth it for the green you'll be saving.

TAN LIKE A MEXICAN!

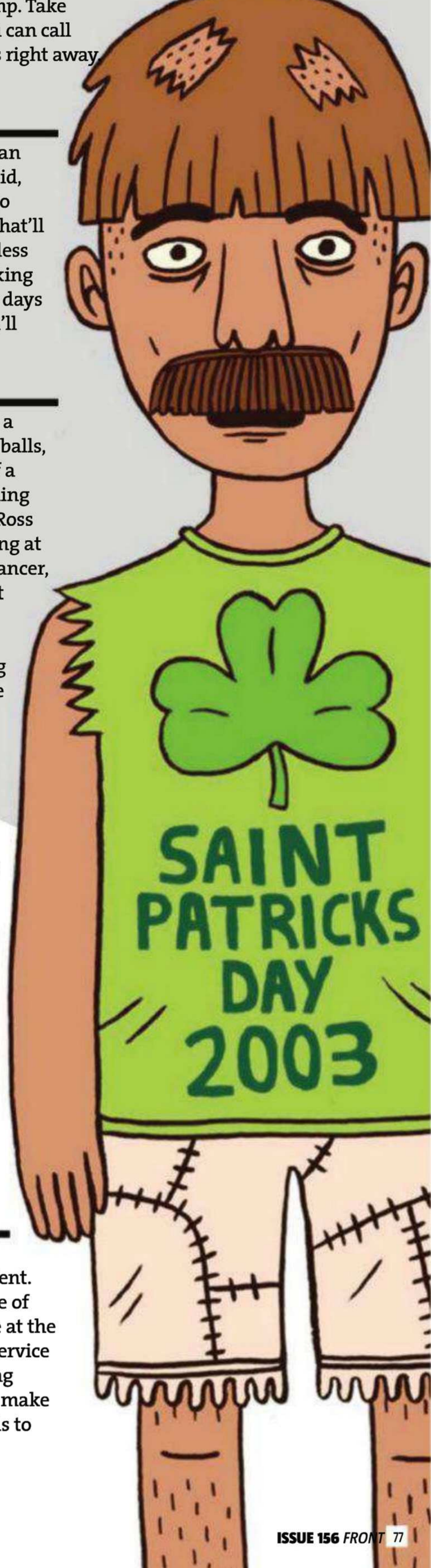
If you're to get even close to a healthy glow on your pasty balls, you're going to need a bit of a head start on that tan. Tanning salons are for gaylords and Ross from Friends, and just looking at a sunbed can give you eye cancer, so what to do? Fear not, host a Mexican-themed house party and stock up on the cheapest fake tan Superdrug can offer and a Smiffy's fake moustache from the joke shop. It's then "bye pasty balls" and "hola Señor Leather Sack!"

IN-VEST IN SOME NEW CLOBBER!

Lopping the sleeves of any t-shirt instantly makes it cool and summery – even if it's something really lame like a Euro 2000 Coca-Cola shirt you got for free, or your old PE tee. And why stop there? Mum's customised wedding dress would make for excellent beer-garden garb.

FREE PUBE TRIM PLEASE BARKEEP!

Trimming your own bush seems needlessly inconvenient. Simply getting a hearty dose of lice can lead the nice people at the GUM clinic to provide this service for you, as part of an ongoing treatment programme. Just make sure you use different towels to your mum for a few weeks.



4 THOU SHALT... NOT PAY FOR BBQ FOOD

■ Invited to a grill-down but got no dough to bag the essential burgers, bangers, ribs, chicken legs, plastic cheese and selection of sauces? Just follow these three easy steps...

STEP 1
Wrap up chunks of old lard and perished meat in tin foil. Fill a supermarket bag with your 'food' (note: make it a reasonably decent but believable supermarket. Sainsbury's is alright, but Waitrose will make them think you've won the lottery).

STEP 2
Cover the contents of the bag with some bread rolls (these are normally pretty cheap), for when you arrive.

STEP 3
After making sure everyone clocks your food-laden arrival, have an unfortunate accident whereby a local dog runs away with your 'expensive food'. Sit back as other pitying guests lavish you with diamond encrusted steaks and posh sausages. (Note: if the dog dies as a result of your rancid meat, simply apply your Smiffy's fake moustache, claim to be a vet, and say it had AIDS).

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5 THOU SHALT THINK OUTSIDE THE SEXY BOX WHILE ON THE PULL...

TRY 'LONELY CORNER'!
Trying to attract the attention of a hot potooty in a local bar or discotheque? Standing in a group is going to make you look scary and unapproachable, and standing in a pair will make you and your mate look like puddle-jumpers. Prop yourself alone in a corner long enough and look half-busy but half-relaxed (the memo function on your phone comes in handy for this). Before long, you'll have lasses thinking you're either a sophisticated man of mystery, or a dangerous loner. Either way, you get some attention, right? Right? Yeah!

GET TO FAT CAMP!
Before you get all whiney, we're not talking about taking advantage of the chubby inmates here – they're taken care of by unscrupulous nutrition coaches. Instead, it's the pretty female volunteers you're targeting. They'll go weeks on end without any action, so when you show up offering to heal the world "one Ryvita at a time", they'll treat you like a twelve-dicked John Travolta.

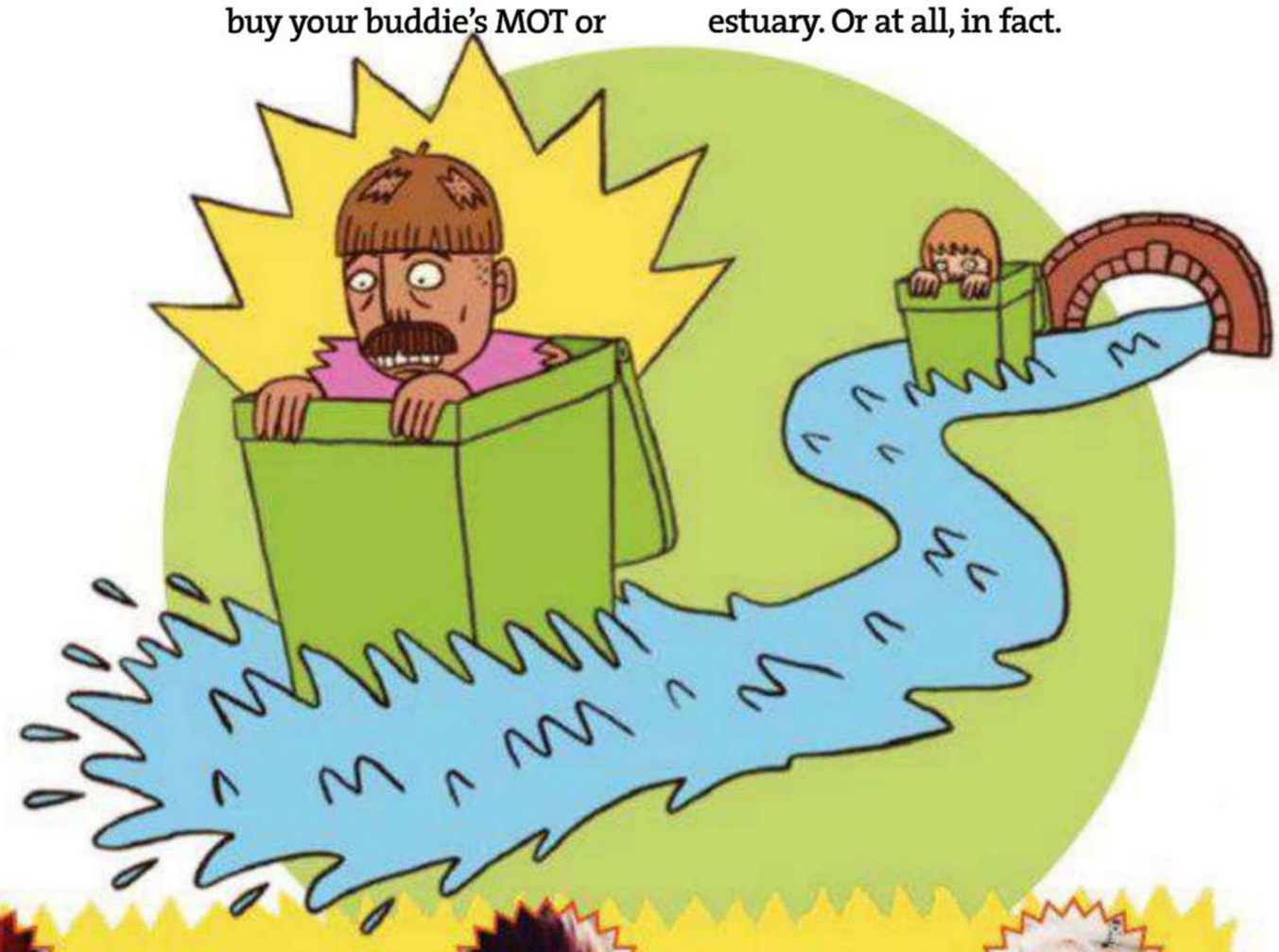
WORK AT MORRISONS OR HOMEBASE! Science has proven that any girl who's had her soul broken down by the world of by-one-get-one-frees and cleanups-on-aisle-three will be 85 per cent hornier at the end of her shift than an average girl. Simply bag a part time job stacking shelves, make some pretty new friends, and sit patiently in the after-work boozer as an orderly queue of gropey girls forms.

6 THOU SHALT... GET ACCESS TO WHEELS

PLAY NATIONAL EXPRESS ROULETTE!
Thanks to global terrorism, holidaying in the UK has never been more appealing. But holy ballsacks, it's expensive. A thrifty alternative is to pack a suitcase and loiter in the coach park of a Welcome Break. When the driver of a National Express coach pulls in to take a break for a piss or to knock one out, simply sneak on his bus and find an empty seat. You may end up in Bognor, you may end up in Barnsley, and you will certainly end up being felt up by a stranger but still, free holiday! Albeit a weird and lonely one, and almost certainly illegal.

BUY YOUR MATE'S MOT!
This might sound like a retarded thing to do, but bear with us. Cars are a fucking ballache to run. Offer to buy your buddie's MOT or tax disc (around £50) when it comes up for renewal (hopefully just before summer), then – bingo! – you've got the bastard. That's a summer of roadtrips to Alton Towers, and countless errands to KFC. If he/she complains, just mutter something about being a "true friend".

TRY HUMAN POO STICKS!
You'll be glad to know that this neither involves poo, sticks, nor pooing on a stick. Instead, it's a live action variant on the classic twig-racing game. Simply track down a local river with a moderately frisky current, and "borrow" two empty wheelie bins from your house. You and a mate occupy a bin at opposite banks, and let go at the same time. First person to end up in the next town wins. Note: Don't do this if you live in an estuary. Or at all, in fact.



WHAT FRONT FITTIES THINK

■ Don't take our word for it: here's your favourite FRONT fitties' top tips for having that summer of awesome...



DO IT ON THE MOTORWAY!
ABBY STEVENSON
"If you happen to be caught travelling next to a vehicle containing pretty ladies, simply make eye contact with them, wave, then write down your phone number on paper and hold it up to the window for them. The girls will see the cheeky side to this and may end up calling you. I would!"



VOLUNTEER FOR SOME SHIT!
KAYLEIGH MALLEN
"Get a job working at a summer festival. Not only do you get to go to the fest for free, but there are also hot girls who need help with their bags. On your breaks you have a ready-made date by watching bands, and – if you're lucky enough – a nice tent to both go back to!"



LOOK UNDER A TREE!
EVE E
"Try going to any field if it's hot. There's a field beside my flat, and the first thing I think of as soon as the sun comes out is to strip off and go lie in it. Also, look under a tree, because pale girls hide in the shade when they feel the heat. Nobody ever thinks to look under a tree."

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7 THOU SHALT... TOTALLY BEAR FALSE WITNESS

■ Lying about your life is fun, and will get you more sex! Elaborate lies fall flat on their nads, so pick something believably smart. Perfect these little white lies, and you'll be laughing all the way to the bank of good times.



THE LIE:
"I was an extra in the new Harry Potter film, I'm sat at the Slytherin table in scene six."
THE RESULT:
This seems too shit to make up, so is easily believed. Before you've ripped into your third anecdote about walking in on Ron Weasley taking a dump, would-be lovers are already hooked.
BACKFIRE POTENTIAL:
The guy who plays Neville Longbottom is drinking at the table next to you and either exposes you for the fraud you are, or turns you into a magical serpent with a tache.

THE LIE:
"I'm the drummer in Los Campesinos!"
THE RESULT:
Loveable indie outfit Los Camp already have about 30 people in their band, so what difference is one bogus member going to make? If your credentials are questioned, ask her to squint as you flay your arms about.
BACKFIRE POTENTIAL:
An impromptu Battle Of The Bands ensues and you're invited to join in. When your drumming ends up sounding like a spastic in a china shop, everyone sees you as the lying fanny you are.

THE LIE:
"My uncle owns this club, you know."
THE RESULT:
Any cheeky chump with half a brain cell can get on the guestlist to a club and a free Smirnoff Ice by pretending it's their birthday. Pick your timing right, and you'll have would-be sexers thinking you're Oceania's equivalent of Peter Stringfellow, if you can imagine such an inhuman beast.
BACKFIRE POTENTIAL:
Your uncle finds out about the scamola you're running, gets overexcited and opens up a tranny bar in the lovely Lanzarote.

8 THOU SHALT... GO HUNTING FOR A DEAD BODY

■ Climate change has made it easier than ever to discover long-forgotten corpses in your neighbourhood. We saw it in a film once and it looked like loads of fun – turns out it's also a great way to bolster friendships and potentially meet Kiefer Sutherland.

GOOD PLACES TO LOOK
- ✓ GRAVEYARDS
- ✓ THE BEACH
- ✓ OLD PEOPLE'S HOMES
- ✓ TRAIN TRACKS

BAD PLACES TO LOOK
- ✖ DISCOS
- ✖ WAITROSE
- ✖ HEALTH FOOD SHOPS
- ✖ EURO DISNEY

WEIRD PERVERT ON LOOSE AT FESTIVAL: PARENTS WARNED

POLICE AND FESTIVAL organisers have warned parents of festival goers to be alert after a string of nationwide bummings.

The culprit has been specifically targeting those who use public transport at a variety of sites up and down the UK.

A police spokesman described the suspect as a "frisky dickhead" and has urged parents to offer their own transport where possible. It's believed stocking the car with Wine Gums and Pringles will further ward off any would-be nonces.

9 THOU SHALT... HONOUR YOUR MATE'S PARENTS

■ Your parents have made no secret of the fact that they hate you, so have your mate's parents adopt you for the season instead. Use these tips to get the most out of your new folks.

BOOK YOUR FESTIVAL LIFT EARLY! Circulate a rumour that a bum-fiddler was targeting public transport at last year's festivals, perhaps going as far as to cut out and keep this bogus news article we've produced. Dab it with an old tea bag and crinkle it up for extra authenticity.

BAG A MILF! It's easier than you think, and starts off innocently enough. Find your mate's newly-divorced mum on Facebook (she'll be spending her days on there doing 'What farm animal are you?' quizzes). Start with a gentle poke and build up to 'liking' photos of her in her heyday. When the moment's right, don your Smiffy's fake moustache and put together some cock and bull story about actually being, like, more mature than your mates. You'll adopt near-local legend status and will be worshipped like a god for the rest of summer. NOTHING CAN GO WRONG HERE.

NEVER GO HUNGRY! Scientists have proved that other people's food always tastes better. Other people's parents' food, therefore, tastes even, even better. With summer in full swing, your mate's show-off dad will be keen to use his Grillometer 9000 BBQ, the perfect opportunity for you to fatten up. Start showing up at his house with felt tip 'bruises', saying how home is no fun now that "mum and dad don't laugh anymore". You'll be up to your arse in premium brand sausages in no time, and with only one awkward visit from Social Services!

10 THOU SHALT... MURDER (MURDER SUMMER WITH RADNESS, THAT IS!)

■ Need to know if you're having a killer summer or a so-so season? Try and get some of these ace skills under your belt, and tick the buggers as you go. Tot your score up at the end and find out how you did.

Have a run in with the long arm of John Law. ☐

Hang out of a sunroof. Bonus point if you lose a head. ☐

Make a summer cocktail using a load of old shit from Christmas, but with the addition of Londis own-brand Pimms. ☐

Swim somewhere with a 'No Swimming' sign. ☐

Get a killer vest tan that looks ace, but hurts like a painful bitch. ☐

Have a pretty summer girl make you a gay bracelet from string. ☐

Get lost at a festival and make new friends. Bonus point if they're crusties. ☐

Tell people you've learned a musical instrument but actually don't. ☐

0-1 Brrrrrrr. Duuude it's, like, proper chilly in here. Have you been bummed by the icy ghost of Jack Frost or sumink? Next year, invest in some factor 30 and make the most of it, you sun-shy slacker!

2-5 Nicely done, sir. You've made the most of this blissful time of year, but not gone overboard. Beer gardens across the nation will forever welcome you with open arms and ice cold cider.

6+ Steady on, Mungo Jerry! You've owned summer so much, the sun's invited you to spend the holiday with him next year. You are officially Mr Summer and your spunk shall forever taste like Wall's ice-cream!

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WET TEE SPECIAL

22, from Bristol

Elle Richie

HELLO ELLE. WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE TOP EVER?
My Sin Star top, that's my favourite. It's really girly and the bow on it is in dripping blood – it's really cool.

DOES IT SEEM UNFAIR THAT GIRLS CAN WEAR DUDES' SHIRTS BUT GUYS CAN'T WEAR GIRLS' TOPS?
Girls are so lucky, we can borrow guys' clothes – if we're at a boyfriend's we can borrow a t-shirt or a hoodie, but guys can't do that. If I saw a guy in a tight girl's vest I'd be a bit scared.

ANY BIG PLANS FOR THE SUMMER?
I haven't got anything planned, no festivals booked just yet. I'd like to go to Sonisphere – I'm really into my metal, so that's the one I'd really like to go to.

WHAT ARE YOUR FAVOURITE THINGS ABOUT SUMMER?
Getting drunk on the beach or in a massive park, and the way evenings seem endless. An outdoor drinking session can last all day. Everyone is happy in the summer; everyone is taking their clothes off and having water fights. It's amazing.

WHAT'S YOUR OUTDOOR BOOZE OF CHOICE?
I'm an ale drinker. I love it. I used to work in an old country pub full of old men and there was nothing else to drink. I don't do vodka or Bacardi with mixers and shit.

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QUICK FIRE

Emily

T-SHIRTS OR TEABAGS? Teabags, if they're Earl Grey.

V-NECKS OR V-PLATES? V-necks, unless I get to break the V-plates.

POOL OR SEA? Sea, so I could play with hammerhead sharks.

BARBEQUE OR BIG PILE OF CRISPS? For reasons of iron and protein, I'll have the barbeque.

22, from Nottingham

Emily Johnston

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SO EMILY, WHAT'S YOUR SUMMER LOOKING LIKE?
Building my future as a successful artist, doing t-shirt designs and hopefully getting into tattooing.

ANY PARTICULAR TYPE OF TATTOOING?
Art Nouveau, but anything beautiful and elegant. If someone wanted racism all over their neck I wouldn't really go for that.

BESIDES EMPIRE-BUILDING, ANY SPECIFIC PLANS?
I'm going to be really boring and work hard – I'm in my last year of uni.

YOU LOOKED AT HOME IN THE POOL – ARE YOU A FAN OF SWIMMING?
I love it, it's amazing exercise, apart from the chlorine and being in everyone's communal juices.

SOMEONE'S ASKED YOUR ADVICE ON HAVING THE BEST SUMMER EVER. WHAT DO YOU SAY?
Get out of this country! I went to New York last year and it was amazing. The food was massive and I met a drag queen called Rajah who I have the biggest crush on, but I'd have to get a sex change because obviously he's gay.

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Lauren Fernandez

19, from Southampton

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QUICK Lauren

ESKIMOS OR HAWAIIANS? Hawaiians, they have pretty flowers.

MINI MILK OR TWISTER? Twister, you get to lick the cream out from the inside, it's awesome.

ICE-CREAM VAN OR BURGER VAN? Ice-cream van. Burger vans are the only off-putting bit at festivals, I always think of sweaty and fat men that don't look very hygienic...

INNIES OR OUTIES? Innies! Outies make my life hell – I do body piercings. The worst one I had to do was pierce a willy, but that went surprisingly well.

SEA OR POOLS? Sea, you can skinny dip and get away with it.

DO YOU HAVE A FAVOURITE T-SHIRT, LAUREN?
I have a stolen Famous Stars And Straps t-shirt, it's a bit worn and torn, but I like it. I'm not into brand new pristine t-shirts. You want them to be a bit lived in, tattered and torn, ideally with some Daisy Duke shorts.

ANY BIG PLANS FOR THE SUMMER?
Summer for me is all about festivals. This year I'm doing Reading and Sonisphere – there are loads of good hardcore and old-skool bands lined up this year for Sonisphere. I might be going to Greece with my girlfriends as well, but we probably won't remember most of that.

ANY WORDS OF ADVICE FOR FIRST-TIME FESTIVAL GOERS?
Bring loads of wet wipes, Pro Plus and Berocca, that's all you need.

WE'RE EXCITED ABOUT FLIP-FLOP SEASON – WE'VE BEEN GROWING OUR FOOT-HAIR.
Oh don't, that's horrible. Not a good look for a guy. It's even worse when people wear socks and sandals.

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WET TEE SPECIAL





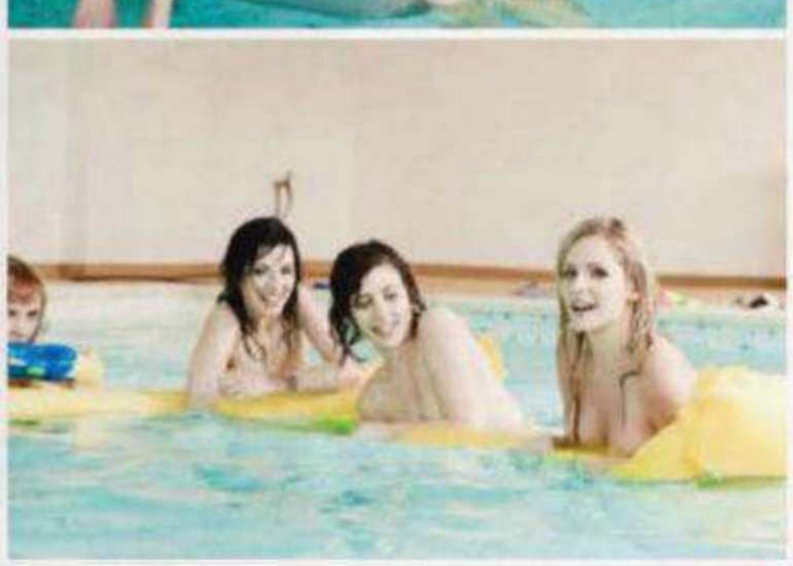




















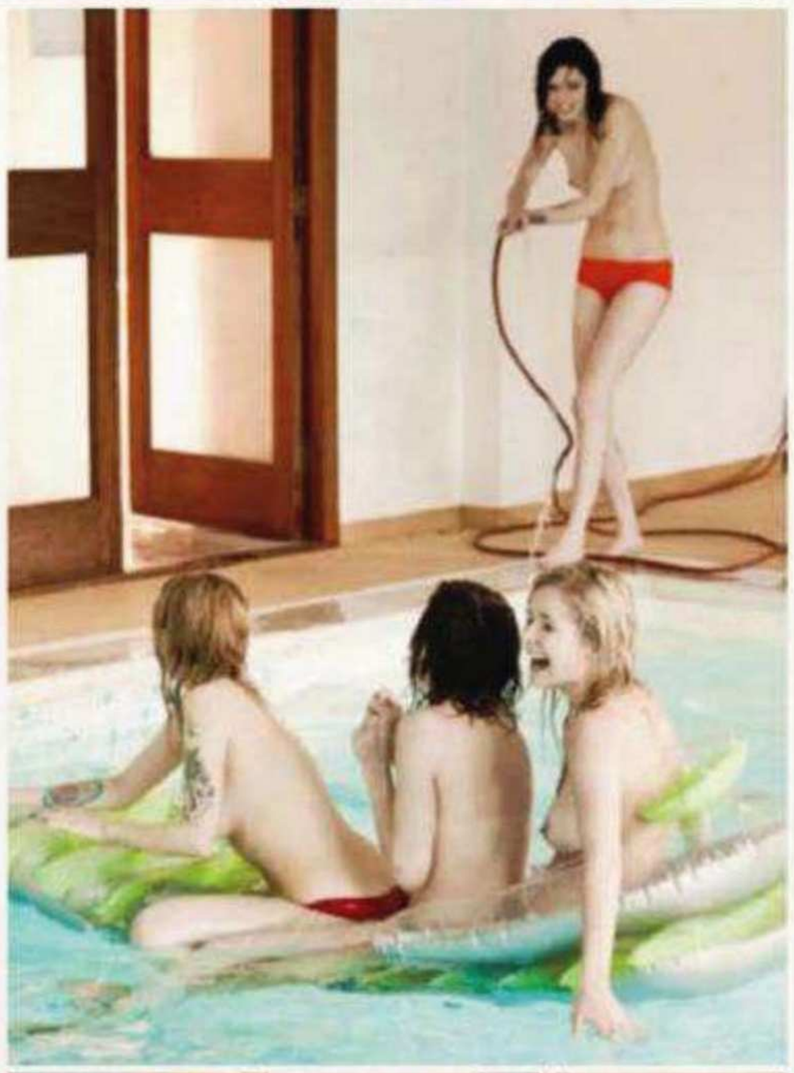
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QUICK FIRE Elle

SUN CREAM OR ICE-CREAM? Ice-cream – it tastes better! Why would anyone ever eat sun cream?

MINI MILK OR TWISTER? Twisters! You suck off the cream and you're left with the green bit.

DIFFICULT BARBEQUE OR A SHITLOAD OF CRISPS? I'd definitely go for the barbeque.

WALKING ON HOT COALS OR PLACING YOUR HAND ON THE GRILL? Walking on hot coals – it gives you an excuse not to move your arse for a week.

PASTY WHITE OR BURNED TO FUCK? Pasty white – you get hot pale girls like Vikki Blows. I prefer a pale girl to an orange one.

SEA OR POOLS? Pools – no tsunamis.

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Tabby Farrar

19, from Norwich

TABBY, IT'S THE T-SHIRT ISSUE – WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE TOP?
I trash all my clothes. If I ever have a favourite it'll get beer spilled on it or fag burns in it, so I tend not to get too attached. My clothing dies through hard living and my rock'n'roll lifestyle.

WHAT'S YOUR TAKE ON COMEDY T-SHIRTS, LIKE WHEN SOMEONE HAS ONE WITH A PICTURE OF A COCK STICKING OUT?
I think they're funny. I know they're a bit shit, but I'm not going to lie. It's funnier when girls wear t-shirts with knobs on them, it looks like she's got a cock like Lady Gaga.

HAVE YOU GOT ANYTHING RAD PLANNED FOR THE SUMMER?
I'm going to Thailand for three weeks. I'll be elephant trekking and bamboo rafting and camping with hill tribes, then heading to the party islands. I've got Bestival at the end of the summer, too.

THIS YEAR'S BESTIVAL THEME IS FANTASY – WHAT ARE YOU DRESSING UP AS?
I'm thinking some kind of vegetable. It was a toss up between going as a vegetable or my cat. As in, dressed as my cat, not wearing it – that would be a bit harsh.

WHY DO OLD PEOPLE DRESS SO FORMALLY?
In case they die – you don't want to turn up to heaven in your joggers and a t-shirt with beans on it. They'd send you back.

CAN YOU OPEN YOUR EYES UNDER WATER?
I can, but not for very long, they go all red and then people think I've been smoking weed. It's not a good look for me. FRONT

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QUICK FIRE Tabby

T-SHIRTS OR TEABAGS? Teabags! I love tea, it's amazing.

BEING PASTY WHITE OR BEING BURNED TO FUCK? Pasty white – as much as I hate looking like a vampire, being burned is no fun.

ICE-CREAM VAN OR BURGER VAN? Burger van, I can eat burgers all day all day, every day. Processed cheese!

FACTOR 50 OR THE X FACTOR? Factor 50. Fuck the X Factor, man.

ESKIMOS OR HAWAIIANS? Hawaiians, they've got hula babes and cocktails – Eskimos eat blubber.

BATHS OR SHOWERS? Showers. With baths, if you fall asleep you drown, but with showers you just fall over and hit something.

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Page 82-3 Witchcraft Satan Tee *teamhelluk.com*
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121 TEES OF SUMMER

SET YOUR EYES TO 'BONER', COS HERE COMES TEN PAGES OF TEES THAT'LL HAVE EVERY GIRL WITHIN A NINE-METRE RADIUS FIZZY IN THE PANTS DEPARTMENT...

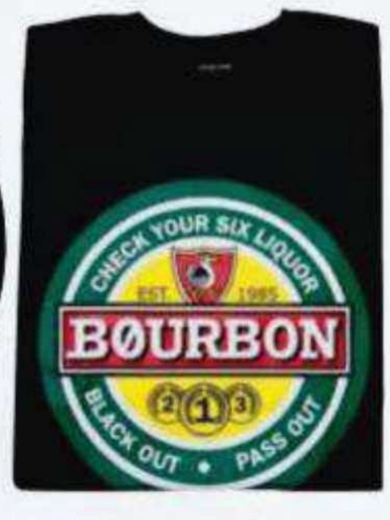
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STYLING: SOFI DONUTS *HAIR & MAKEUP:* NICOLA HAFFENDEN *PRODUCT SHOTS:* TONI KNEVITT

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NAME THAT STAIN

DESCRIPTION: A smudged red and white smiley face.
WHAT IS IT? An evil clown has pressed its face against your tee.
HOW TO CLEAN IT: Wouldn't worry about it. You're marked for death now anyway.



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ashopcalledwood.com



£15, *whoclothing.bigcartel.com*



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urbanindustry.co.uk



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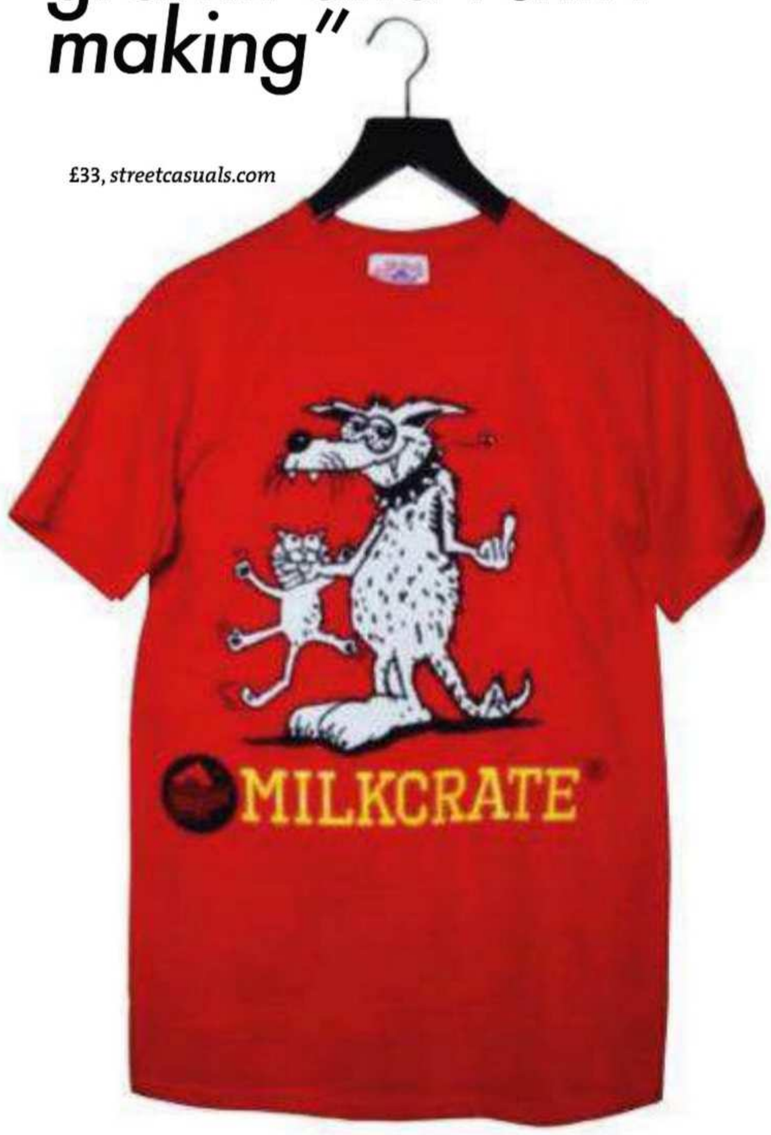
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MILKCRATE

MEET YOUR MAKER

WHO: Aaron LaCrate
AGE: 35 **FROM:** Baltimore

"Milkcrate came from the DIY culture of mixed tapes, graffiti and t-shirt making"



£33, *streetcasuals.com*





WHERE DID MILKCRATE ALL BEGIN?
As a kid, I was massively into the DIY culture of mixed tapes, graffiti and t-shirt making. It was a way of doing something original in a fucked up place where you could run into a hooker or dealer on every corner.

WHERE'S THE BEST PLACE YOU'VE SEEN ONE OF YOUR GARMS?
On Jay-Z in Fade To Black. I was at the premiere, and seeing someone of that status wearing my creation was surreal.

IF YOU COULD COLAB WITH ANY ILLUSTRATOR, WHO WOULD IT BE?
We've just hooked up with John Waters [legendary cult film maker], which was ace. I'd love to do something with Crumb, too.

WHAT ONE PIECE OF ADVICE WOULD YOU GIVE TO ASPIRING TEE MAKERS?
Make sure you're up for years of packing boxes. I'm off to do that now.

FAVE TEE OF ALL TIME:
Milkcrate logo tee.

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Metal Tees



SLAYER £20, *facebook.com/therockshop*



THE WILD ONES £27, *routeone.co.uk*



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£30, *cvltnation.com*



DIAMOND SUPPLY CO £34, *urbanindustry.co.uk*



£20, *creature.net*



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BLACK FLAG RIPS

THE ICONIC FOUR-BAR LOGO HAS BEEN RIFFED ON BY EVERYONE FROM CTRL'S CHARLES BUKOWSKI-INSPIRED TEE (RIGHT), TO THE PUNK LOVERS BELOW...



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Q&A MATT CHURCH VOCALS IN AGAINST THE FLOOD

AGE: 23

FROM: Croydon, London

WHAT'S YOUR FAVE EVER TEE?

I've got a fucking awesome one from a band called SiKth. This one has a really sick swallow on it. They stopped making it too, which I was stoked about.

WHEN YOU'RE WEARING THREADS ON STAGE, WHAT DO YOU GO FOR?

First up, all my tees get their sleeves cut off. Then I'll look for a plain tee – wearing a headfuck design when you've got too many tattoos looks a bit stupid.

SHOULD I OR SHOULDN'T I WEAR BAND MERCH TO A GIG?

If you do, be prepared to bump into someone with the same t-shirt. I'd steer clear of wearing merch of the band you're seeing. Wearing other band tees is okay though. It can be a good way to chat up girls.

WHICH BANDS ARE KILLING IT ON THE MERCH FRONT?

While She Sleeps. They're doing well on the scene and the tees are awesome. They're not too complex, with a really good punk edge.

WHICH LABELS ARE ONES TO WATCH THIS SUMMER?

The first ones that come to mind are Big Deal, We The Brave and Honour Over Glory.

WITCHCRAFT HARDWEAR £25, *slamcity.com*

NAME THAT STAIN

DESCRIPTION: Oaky and refined, with a robust finish.
WHAT IS IT? 1986 Chateau Marmont Cabernet Sauvignon.
HOW TO CLEAN IT: Apply the asparagus mousse to begin, followed by the Wagyu beef.

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Extreme Tees



£25, *slamcity.com*



Q&A JOHN TANNER STREET-SHREDDING SKATER

AGE: 22
FROM: East Anglia

FAVOURITE EVER T-SHIRT? I remember one of my favourites being a navy FTC tee. FTC is a legendary skate shop in San Francisco that I visited as a kid, so being able to wear something that came fresh off the shelves was pretty special.

WHAT KINDA T-SHIRT STYLE DO YOU GO FOR? In the past I've been into different styles but at the moment I'm very into good quality and basic designs that have nice attention to detail.

WHICH LABELS ARE KILLING IT RIGHT NOW? All my sponsors are producing some amazing garms. For example, Slam City has a tee designed by this great young artist from London named Arran Gregory who's very talented. Even members of Radiohead have been seen representing his infamous Slam City Bear Tee.

IF YOU COULD DESIGN ANY TEE, WHAT WOULD YOU STICK ON IT? Perhaps a nice slim-fit tee made from nice quality cotton that won't shrink after one wash. Possibly with a nice black and white photograph that I took from one of my travels, or maybe something simple like a pocket tee with a little doodle or emblem on the pocket.



CRAYON £20, *nativeskatestore.co.uk*



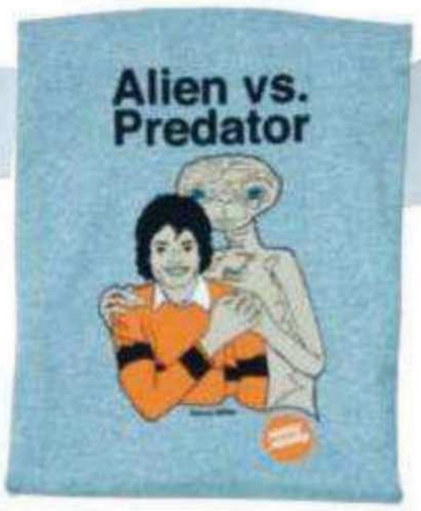
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LAKAI £20, nativeskatestore.co.uk

TRAINERSPOTTER

WHO: Daniel Savory **AGE:** 33
FROM: Hackney, London

MEET YOUR MAKER

"Trainerspotter was spawned of an interest in Nike clothes and paraphernalia"



Both £25, *trainerspotter.com*

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Q&A MARK WEBB ARSE-KICKING CHAMP PRO BMXER

AGE: 26

FROM: Portsmouth

WHAT TEE ARE WE MOST LIKELY TO SEE YOU IN?
I've got a load of tattoos, so I'm usually rocking something pretty low-fi. More often than not, I'll be wearing striped black and red tees. I've got three of those and two green and black ones.

HAVE YOU GOT TO THINK ABOUT YOUR TATTOOS BEFORE YOU GET DRESSED, THEN?
My girlfriend does more than I do, really. She had a go at me the other day for wearing bright patterned boxers. It looked too much with my ink, apparently.

HAVE YOU EVER RUINED A T-SHIRT BEYOND REPAIR?
I always busting my nose open and get blood down my clothes. One that sticks out in my mind was when I was 17, I slipped a box and landed on my face. I was wearing a red teeso it didn't show up too bad. I did break my front two teeth, though.

FAVOURITE EVER T-SHIRT?
I have my own label, Downside, so I'd have to say my signature tee from that.

NAME THAT STAIN

DESCRIPTION: Fuscous, cylindrical, malodorous.
WHAT IS IT? Dog egg.
HOW TO CLEAN IT: Find the filthy little barker responsible and demand he coughs up for the dry-cleaning bill.

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Colab Tees



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CRAYON X PETE FOWLER £20, *nativeskatestore.co.uk*



SUFFOCA X DRES13 £30, *suffoca.com*



THE DIGGERS X MR GAUKY
£25 *shop.thediggersltd.co.uk*

NAME THAT STAIN

DESCRIPTION: Orange, red and sort of flickery.
WHAT IS IT? That's fire, mate. You're on fire.
HOW TO CLEAN IT: Just leave it. It'll sort itself out.



SUFFOCA X MATTHEW THREW
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SILAS X HERION SKATEBOARDS
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SPITFIRE X DICKIES £26, *cooshti.com*

STUSSY X MARVEL £45, *hideoutstore.com*



ALTAMONT X PINKY £25, *altamontapparel.com*



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GIRL X HELLO KITTY £25, *routeone.co.uk*



ALL £24, *sektashop.com*

Q&A CHASE COLLAB KING

WHO: *theartofchase.com*
AGE: 33
FROM: California

HOW DID THIS COLAB COME ABOUT? Altamont e-mailed me to say they'd seen my mural work, and that Andrew Reynolds [big dick skater and top designer] loved my work. We met for lunch, and I said "Let's do this!"

DID YOU GET A BRIEF, OR DID YOU HAVE FREE REIGN TO DO WHATEVS? I had complete freedom. To tell the artists they hook up with what to do would have been counterproductive, so they're cool like that.

WHAT'S THE BEST THING ABOUT BEING PART OF A KILLER COLAB? That my work is produced by a dope brand, and kids around the world can get hold of it.

IF YOU HAD TO WEAR ONE TEE FOR THE REST OF YOUR LIFE, WHAT WOULD IT BE? I would go blank, but hopefully find some crazy tech that would make the fabric change colour the whole time. Like a chameleon.

IS THERE A LABEL YOU'D NEVER WORK WITH? To quote Black Sheep: "I never say never cos I know I just might."



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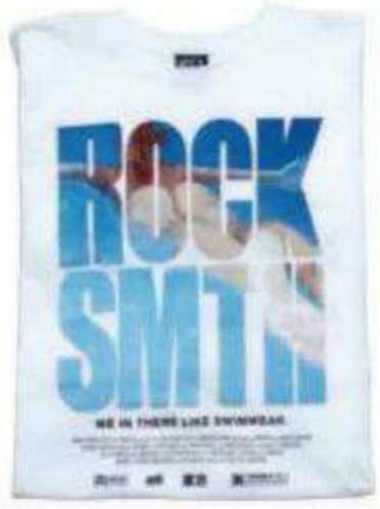
LIFE LONG

WHO: Pid **AGE:** 26 **FROM:** London

"Katy Perry probably hasn't seen our Sailor Perry tee. She could sue our asses for billions"



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£25, *grindlondon.com*



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JUSTIN BIEBER X DROP DEAD

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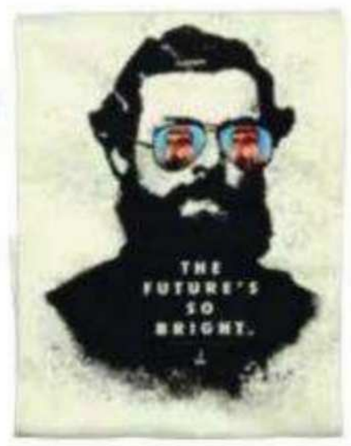
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MEET YOUR MAKER

DRONEBOY

WHO: David Shaw **AGE:** 31 **FROM:** Cardiff

"I'd go to gigs and see DJs wearing my gear, it totally blew me away"

WHERE DID IT ALL START?
I was at a label called Where's The Jungle, which made clothes for jungleheads. I wanted to make something for people like me, who enjoy more than one genre.
HAVE YOU HAD THAT MOMENT WHERE YOU THINK "DAMN, THIS IS GOING WELL"? When I'd go to gigs and see DJs wearing my gear, it totally blew me away. Also, when I got my first worldwide order, I was properly excited. That moment was special.
WHAT CELEB WOULD YOU LOVE TO SEE IN YOUR THREADS? A circa 1998 Chino Moreno from Deftones. That would be amazing.
FAVE TEE OF ALL TIME: Zero 3 skulls with blood.

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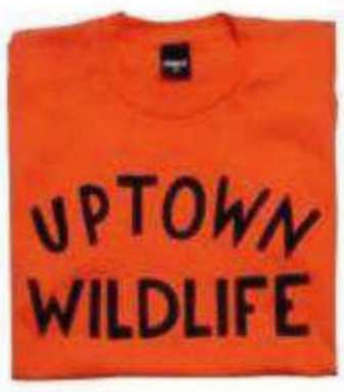
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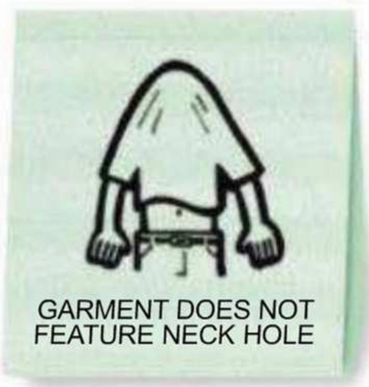
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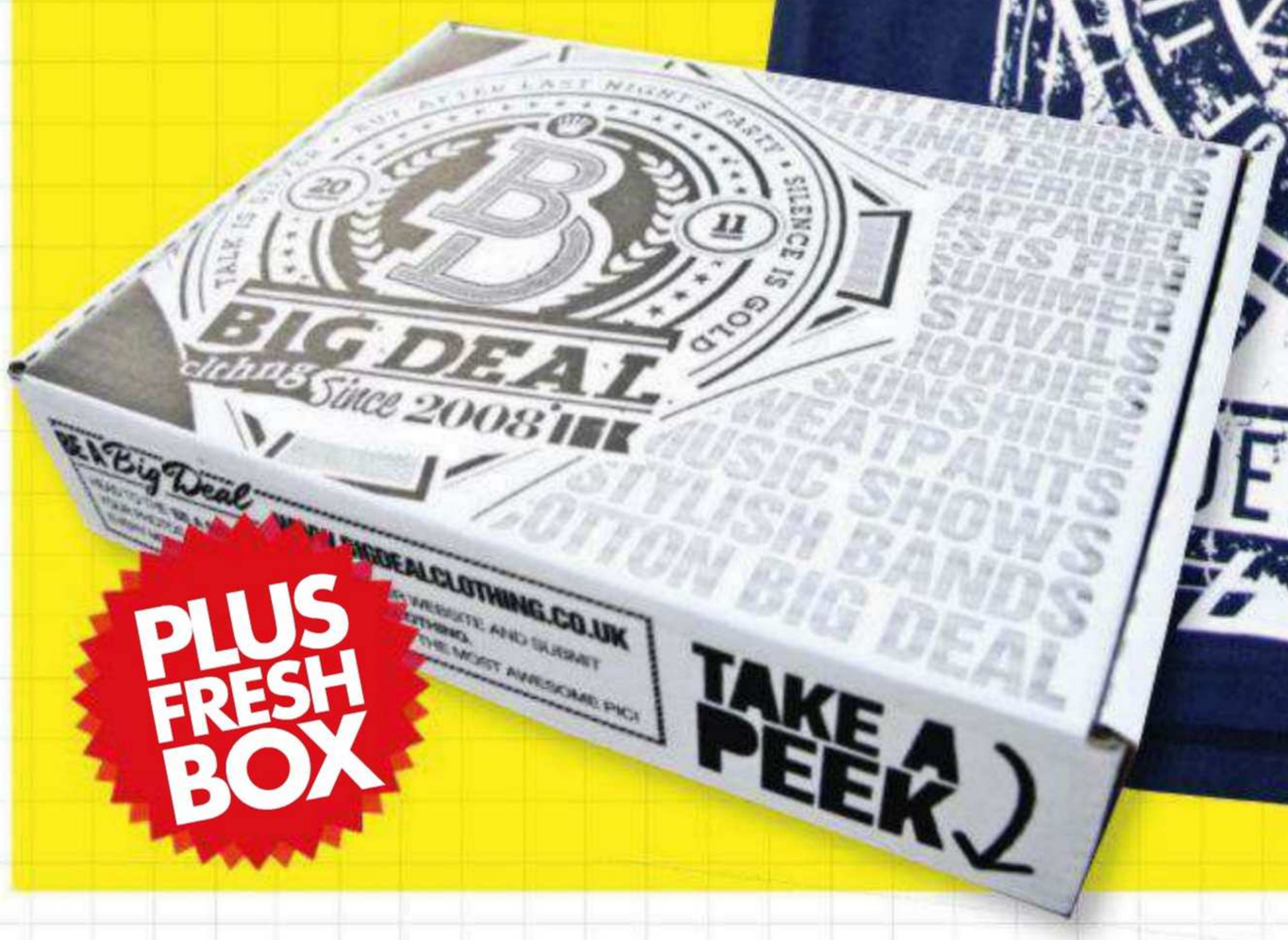
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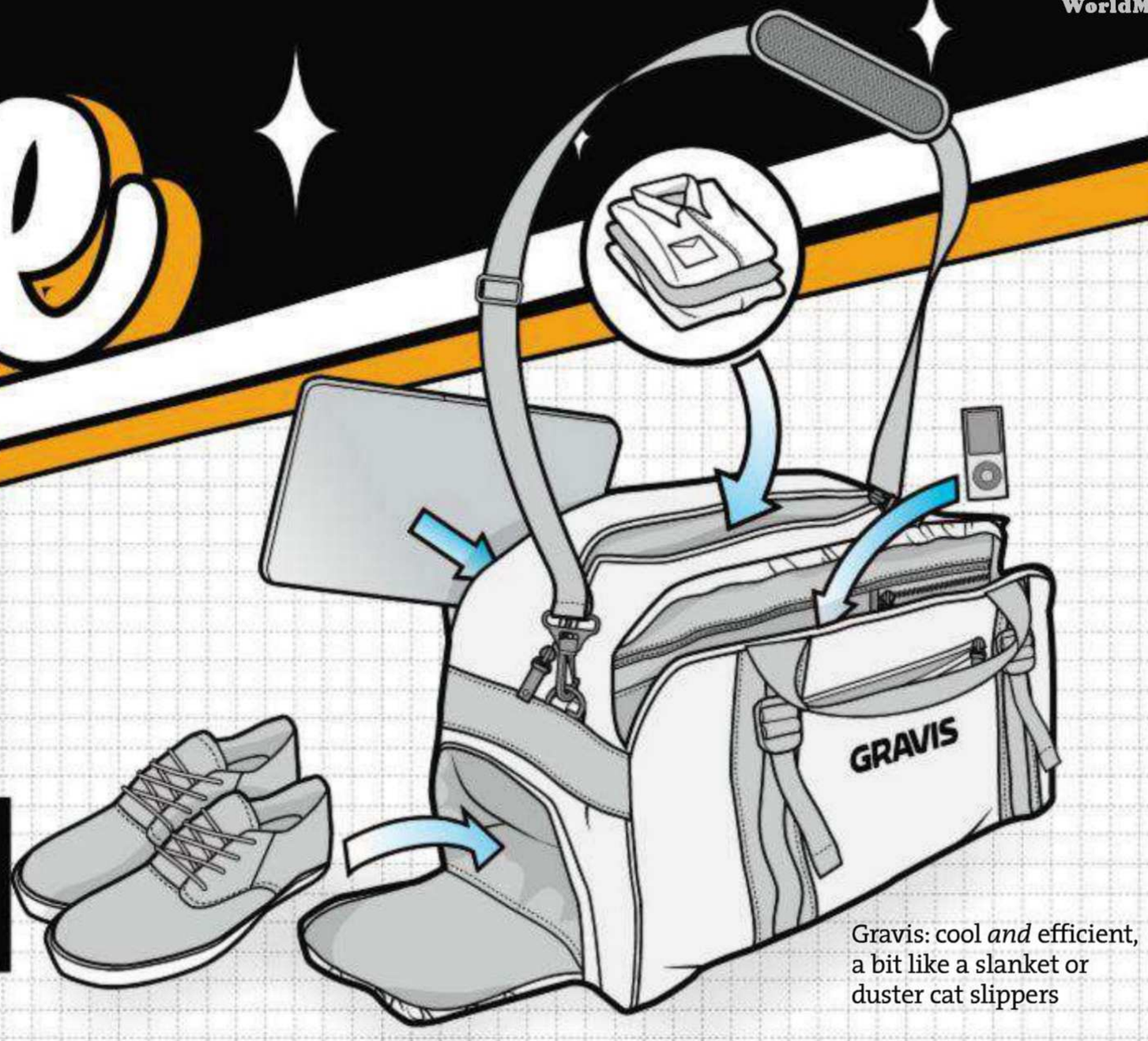
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Gravis: cool *and* efficient, a bit like a slanket or duster cat slippers

Everyone needs a good bag, whether you're getting ready to go on holiday, have murdered and dismembered your neighbour and need to dispose of the body, or just plain old don't own one. This Duffle from kings of radness Gravis is fucking ace, it looks sweet, has shitloads of compartments and a special pocket especially for your trainers. Fuck yeah.

Start at £65, from *gravisfootwear.com*



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SYNAPSE COLLECTIVE

Nice snapback from the fledgling British streetwear outfit.

£25, from *synapsecollective.com*



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£95, from *urbanindustry.co.uk*

FLY53 WATCHES

It seems it's not only Flavor Flav that knows what time it is. Fly53 does too, with six new watches exclusive to their online site.

£80, from *fly53store.com*





ORIGINAL PENGUIN

These two chambray shirts from old school brand Original Penguin are proper smart and perfect for the summer.

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Rise to Remain

MAKING AN IMPACT

SNAPPED UP BY A MAJOR LABEL AND ABOUT TO HAVE THE BEST SUMMER EVER, IT'S A GOOD TIME TO BE IN HOMEGROWN METALCORE BAND RISE TO REMAIN...

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HI AUSTIN. SEEMS LIKE EVERYTHING'S PRETTY SWEET AT THE MOMENT...

We're really excited by everything – EMI have the Beatles for Christ's sake. It's an honour. We're really excited to start properly working and getting into the thick of it.

YOU'RE HEADLINING THE FRONT STAGE AT HEVY. WHY SHOULD THOSE FEW PEOPLE THAT HAVEN'T GOT TICKETS YET COME ALONG?

You're gonna want to get to the front, because I will be in your face screaming my head off and expecting you to scream back at me just as loud. We try to deliver what a lot of bands see as impossible – to deliver exactly what's on record but while running around and being everywhere. We're gonna be pulling out all the stops at Hevy – it's our first time headlining anything at a festival, so you're not gonna forget it. And it's in a wild animal park. We're gonna fuck some monkeys up. Come chill with us and our ape-y brethren.

DO YOU PREFER PLAYING TO A SMALLER RABID CROWD OF RISE TO REMAIN FANS, OR A HUGE CROWD WHEN YOU'RE THE SUPPORT BAND?

The cool thing about those big shows is that there's such a mass of people. Early on, seeing people's reactions change throughout the set as we won people over was always a huge thing for us. There's a lot of people but an element of distance between you and the audience in larger venues. It's like that at festivals too. When you play a festival, they're quite far away, about anywhere from 200 to a 1,000 people who know your stuff back to front, and then the rest around it are people that would not necessarily come to a show but are checking you out because you're at a festival. You don't get that at a headline show. Just a straight narrow corridor filled with 400 people from that festival, going absolutely fucking nuts and sweating their faces off. It's all good,

> "I WILL BE IN YOUR FACE SCREAMING MY HEAD OFF AND EXPECTING YOU TO SCREAM BACK AT ME JUST AS LOUD"

there's something to be said for every one. Intimate shows are just fucking great fun. Love 'em.

YOUR DAD'S BRUCE DICKINSON, WHICH IS AWESOME, BUT IT SEEMS LIKE IT COULD BE A DOUBLE-EDGED SWORD THING – DO PEOPLE GO "PAH, IF MY DAD WAS HIM, MY BAND'D BE DOING WELL..."?

If you look at our progression as a band, it makes sense, when we get accolades or get praised or we get a tour, that there's always a small minority of people who slag it off, either cos they're in bands themselves and are jealous, or because they just want to have a bit of a bitch. ▶

AT A GLANCE

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People are like that sometimes, and it's not their fault. Well, it kind of is, but it's just silly. We're our own band with our own identity.

"IT TOOK ME A FEW YEARS OF HAVING NO VOICE AFTER SHOWS TO REALISE SREAMS COME FROM A RELAXED VOICE – LIKE WHEN YOU FIRST WAKE UP"

RECREATING IT AS IT IS ON RECORD, ISN'T IT REALLY FUCKING KNACKERING JUMPING FROM SCREAMING TO SINGING AND BACK AGAIN?

The funny thing about that is that the screams come from the most relaxed state of the voice ⑦you know when you first wake up and your voice is a bit deep and raspy? If you get that and treat it right, you get a scream. I can do that solid for about an hour and still sing okay. But after a show I'm a boring fucker, I drink a lot of water and go to bed.

SO THE REALLY SCREAMY BITS ARE FROM A RELAXED THROAT? MADNESS.

You treat it as though you're almost talking, strip the singing and screaming back to a talking level, not ripping your throat out. It took me a good few years of having no voice after shows to realise how to do it. From 15-18 my voice would be shot after every show. Technique is really important for long tours.

WATCHING YOUR TOUR DIARY VIDEOS, IT SEEMS LIKE THERE'S A LOT OF FREE TIME TO FILL WHILE ON THE ROAD...

I usually fill it with sleeping, Facebooking, and eating a lot. You can't do anything that extravagant ⑦you're in a venue on lockdown. There was a cool period in Australia when we got a few days off to go to the zoo and shit, but if you're in Aberystwyth, you're not really gonna take in the sights.

WE HEARD ABOUT YOU RECENTLY LOSING YOUR TROUSERS ON STAGE...

Some fucker thought it'd be funny to pull my pants down. I don't whether I was more annoyed by getting my pants ripped down or the fact that it was genuinely funny. I was in the crowd, giving it welly, went to get back on stage and somebody ripped my boxers and pulled my pants down. I floundered on stage, mooning the entire audience. I guess a small percentage may have found that appealing, but my bet's on the majority not being too impressed. ▶



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YOU'RE A SECOND GENERATION METAL SINGER, AND YOUR BAND SOUND NOTHING LIKE YOUR DAD'S. IF YOU HAVE A SON WHO FOLLOWS IN YOUR FOOTSTEPS, WHAT DO YOU RECKON THIRD GENERATION'LL SOUND LIKE?

I reckon there are gonna be a lot of shit revivals. Things are gonna filter through like piss in a sieve and a lot of stupid things will happen ⑦with music, a lot gets revived and then you realise why it died in the first place.

"SOME FUCKER PULLED MY PANTS DOWN. I DON'T WHETHER I WAS MORE ANNOYED BY GETTING MY PANTS RIPPED OR THAT IT WAS GENUINELY FUNNY"

ANYTHING YOU'RE EXCITED ABOUT NOW THOUGH? THE FUTURE OF METAL?

I'm really excited about djent at the minute. It's named after the sound the guitar makes in bands like Periphery, The Safety Fire and TesseracT. There's a great scene for that. It's hard to predict the future of music. I'd like to think my kids won't even have to sing ⑦they'll be singing with their minds because technology will be so advanced, or singing with their arses. FRONT

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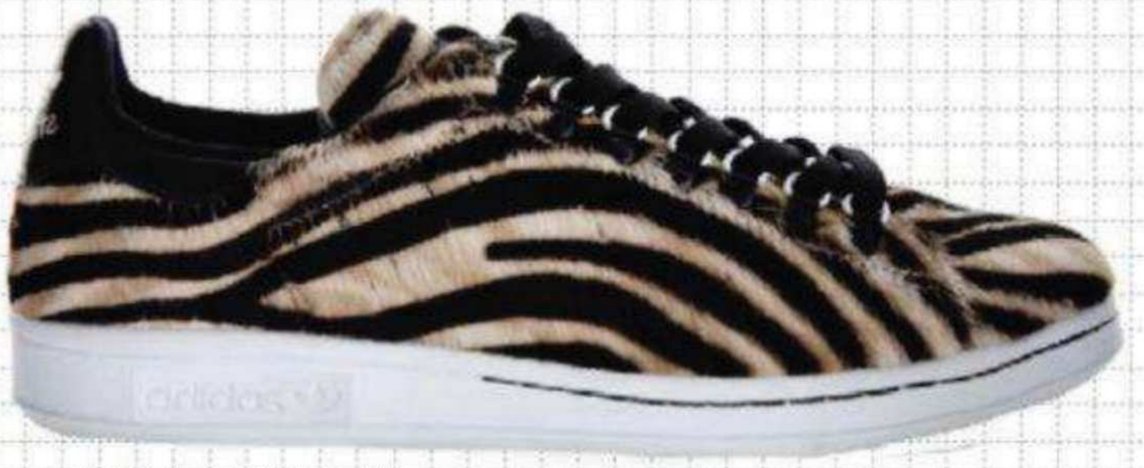
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AT HOME WITH

STITCH D AND NINA KATE

FROM THE DEFILED AND JANE DOE LATEX

FRONT PAYS A VISIT TO BRITAIN'S METALLEST COUPLE AND MAKES FRIENDS WITH THEIR CAT...

STOUFFER

STITCH: "Nina can just look at this and laugh and laugh and laugh."

DEER HEADS

NINA: "These weren't bought together, but they're both from a market in Montroy in France, where Victor Hugo lived. There's nothing there apart from a castle. It's so nice."
STITCH: "I got my knuckle duster there. I literally tied everything round it – keys, jewellery, so when they scanned the bag on the Eurostar it just looked like a mass of metal."

BOOZE GLOBE

STITCH: "This was a tenner from a jumble sale on the Isle Of Wight. We wanted to ditch it a few months ago – it was blocking drawers, so I couldn't get pants out. It's not as full of booze as it should be. There's some Disaronno and tequila and that's it."
NINA: "Every time we get booze, we just drink it, so it's never full!"

ACCORDION

STITCH: "I'd always said I wanted to learn the accordion, so Nina got one for my birthday. There are too many buttons to choose from, it's not as simple as a guitar. There are 170 notes to choose from and you can't see half the buttons when you're wearing it. One day I'll do it. It's just too loud to practice in a flat."

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FYI

Nina is planning to learn taxidermy: "My friend's a farmer, so she's gonna skin them and I'll stuff them. I'm really squeemish though, I don't eat meat." Go figure.

FENCING MASK

NINA: "I was obsessed with fencing for two months. I'd wanted to do it for years and then thought, 'Fuck it!'. I did it and it was amazing, the equipment was so expensive though. The people in the classes, it's their entire lives. It's really fun though. You get to beat people up with swords. It's proper hard work, you get some serious bruises."

LES PAUL

STITCH: "This is the one guitar I like the most – I never use it live cos I don't want to ruin it."

HENRY THE BADGER

STITCH: "He came from eBay – I was looking specifically for a stuffed badger. There was a glass front, but the seller just wrapped it in packing paper so it was broken. It took ages to clean it out. I hadn't realised how big badgers are until I saw it! I was expecting something cute, but they have giant claws and teeth."

ELEPHANT FOOT

STITCH: "This used to belong to Stanley Kubrick. Its thick nails creeped me out a little bit at first. I made Nina carry it home because I couldn't touch it. They had loads of stuff, like when he made Eyes Wide Shut, Tom Cruise had to wear these buffalo shoes so he'd be the same height as Nicole Kidman. It's strange they got married even though he was in high heels."

MAURICE THE CAT

STITCH: "Maurice is a Maine Coon. He's a pain in the arse – he'll wake us up at 7am. He gets adamant that it's time to get up. I barricade myself under my duvet, but he goes for everything, he'll start at my feet and work his way up via my bollocks. He'll climb on stuff and knock it over until you get up. We're not really 7am kind of people, so when you finally get up you want to just lie there, he'll be the bane of your life. He's lucky he's so pretty."

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LIFE IN INK

DAVEY RICHMOND

GLAMOUR OF THE KILL

IT'S NOT ALL SUNSHINE AND RAINBOWS WHEN IT COMES TO TATTOOS FOR THE YORKSHIRE METAL VOCALIST...

WHO HE?

NAME: Davey Richmond
AGE: 22
FROM: York
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GLAMOUR OF THE KILL

ANY FOAL'S A GOAL

My stepdad's a big horseracing fan and I always remember the story of Shergar from when I was younger. Shergar was a champion horse that was stolen at gunpoint. It really stuck with me. My awesome tattooist Wil Purnell at Black Tides in York did this as well as my neck. He's fucking talented.

PRECIOUS KNUCKLES

I drew up a list of everything I had thought about getting on my knuckles as I didn't want anything boring and common. I think Show Time is quite good considering my job. I like it because nobody else has it, but when I meet someone who does, I'll be dead pissed.



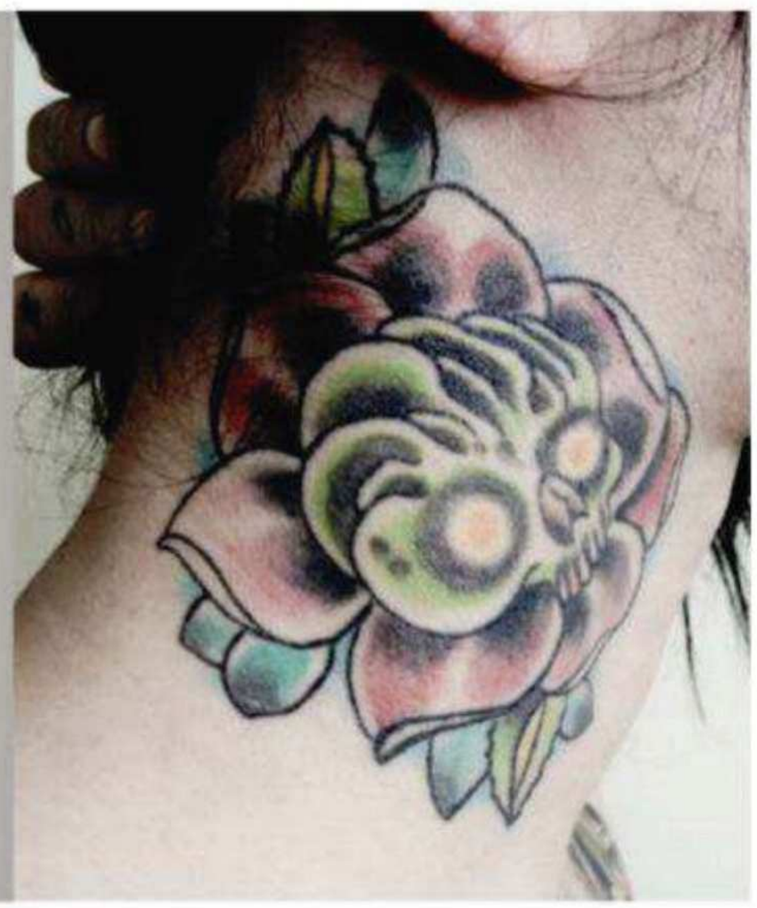
NORTHERN SOUL

I got my hands done for my 21st birthday. Most of my tattoos represent life and death. On my left hand I've got a Grim Reaper, and on my right is a Yorkshire Rose cos we're, like, from Yorkshire.

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SKETCHY NECK

Selling out Newcastle Academy was a massive deal to us, and I had this done to commemorate that. The guy that did Glamour above my nipple works just around the corner from the venue, so I had him do it before we went on stage. I can't recommend getting tattooed and then playing a live gig though. It stings.



ANOTHER NAIL...

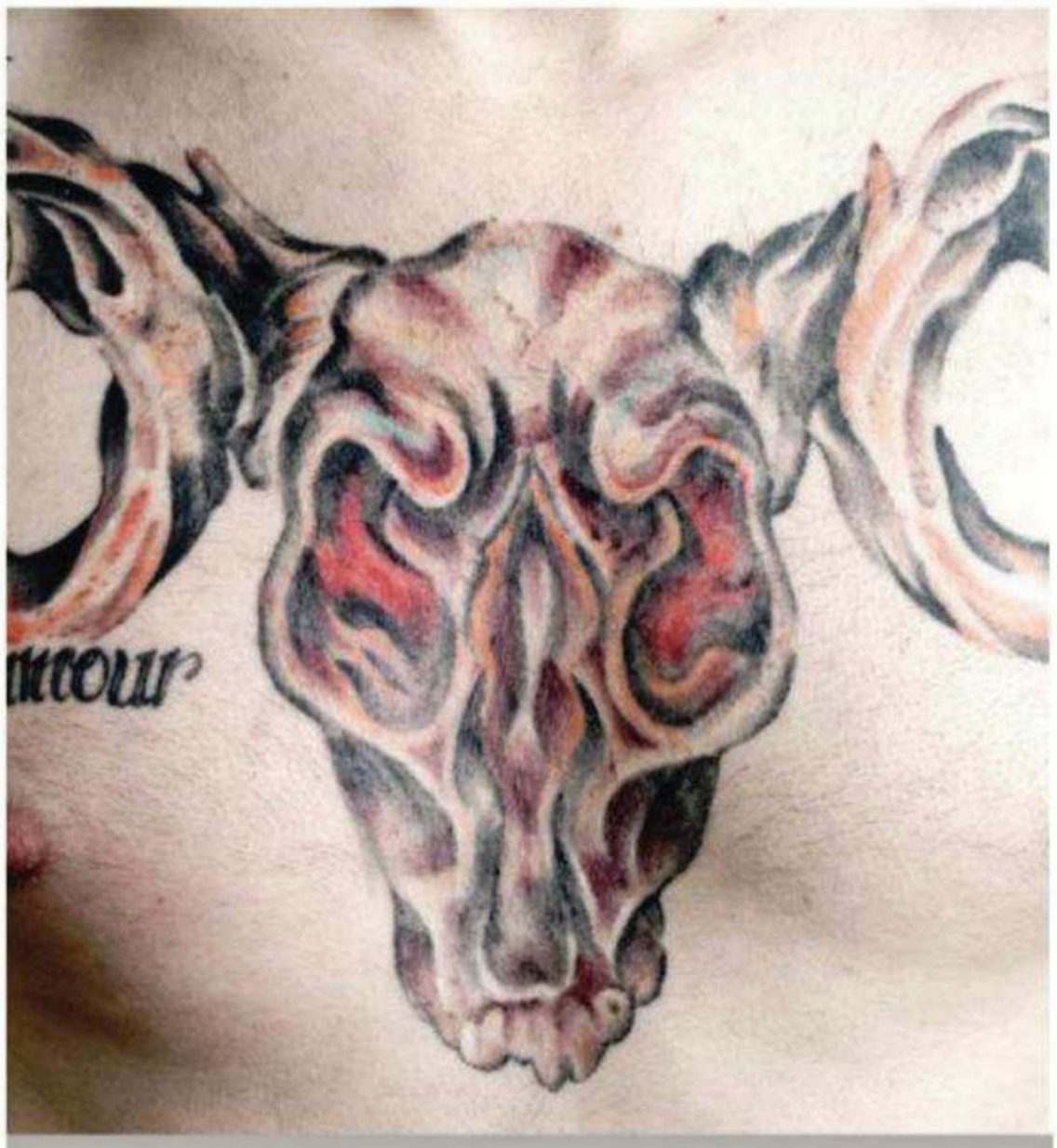
I started this sleeve from the wrist up, so by the time I got here I had a good idea of the kind of thing that would fit well there, and the coffin was perfect. It's a risky way to get a sleeve as there's no going back from the off, but I always knew I wanted it.





DON'T FEAR THE REAPER

I absolutely love this. The colours and the woman's head are amazing, I'm getting this artist to do more work on me in future. This is another of my death-related tattoos. I guess I'm obsessed.



BONES BRIGADE

That was my second ever tattoo and I had it done here because I knew I wanted to start a sleeve. This was an easy decision: I love Tim Burton's movies.





GLA-MOUR TO COME

About two years ago, me, Chris [GOTK guitarist], and a tattooist friend were at my place, bored, and decided to get this done. A few beers may have taken a lead role in that decision.

WRITING'S ON THE (STOMACH) WALL

This one's for the ladies when they're down there! Nah, it's a line from a Mötley Crüe song. I can't remember when I got it done but it was really fucking painful. It was my girlfriend's [model Lora Leigh] idea to get it.



EWE PAINFUL BASTARD

I'm getting this finished soon. I like the American style, and I'm getting lots of roses done on the ram's horns. It's gonna go down to my belly button, which I'm not looking forward to. I'm expecting a lot of pain on that one. It's taken seven fucking nasty hours already: the most painful one yet.

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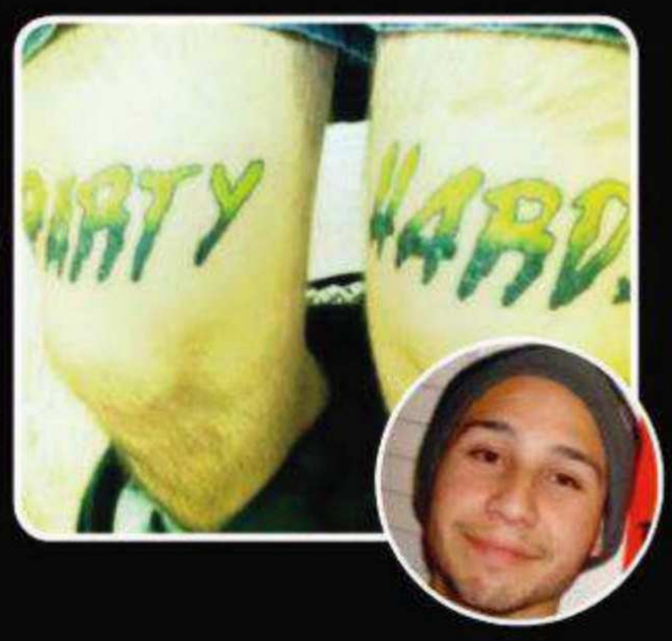
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INTERNATIONAL FUCK TRUMPET



I'm stuck in a very awkward three-way situation. My broad lives in America, meanwhile my ex in London has reared her very pretty head again and this amazingly bonk-worthy new stunner has also come onto the scene. Is a four-way Jimmy sandwich completely out of the question?

Jimmy, from London

I think that you're not real and that you're actually a shit gangster from a shit 1920s film, lost in the modern day world with delusions of grandeur and a shoddy top hat. I think instead, you should open your own deli place and sell an actual sandwich, the four-way Jimmy'. Inside it will be salami, peanuts, herring and a boiled egg.

MAD AS FUCK



I've been boning this bird who is more than a little bit psychotic, and not in a sexy way. I'm frickin' scared shitless about dumping her as I think a pic of my winkie will turn up on Facebook. I'm considering going into hiding until the dust settles, can I hide at your house? I'll behave, honest...

James, from Hitchin

Sure, you can come and hide in my house, I have some space in one of my cages. At the moment I've got two 19-year-old Japanese girls residing in one cage and four tattooed midgets in another. I'll put you in with the midgets Echo and Iho tend to bite when they get tired and hungry and I like them to save that just for me.

TAKING THE PIERCE



My girlfriend has said she'll dump me if I don't get my dick pierced. Would you dump me if there weren't any metal in my love truncheon?

Matthew, from Glasgow

Nailing someone with a pierced dick is one of the most unpleasant things, and really gets in the way when you're trying your best to give good head. I once accidentally ripped a guy's metal ring out, swallowed it and then proceeded to vomit the thing back up onto his bleeding, flaccid dick. Unpleasant I tell thee.

NERD WITH A BIRD



I bought my lovebird a Kama Sutra guide as a joke. Now she wants to try out a camel hump. I like spreadsheets and sudoku and this dirty sex malarky makes me scared. What if I'm less humping hero, more spunkless zero?

Ben, from Leeds

If you're not up for trying any of it, why the hell did you buy the thing? New sex positions are fun, but honestly, the more elaborate the position, the less good it feels. Sticking to old faithfuls is usually better mixed with some filth like doggy style with urination. Think of it like sandwiches Marmite and salad cream seems like a good shout in principal, but when all's said and done, it just isn't. That's right, sandwiches. Again.



Von's NAUGHTY DOs & DON'Ts

#25 THE MATE'S EX

There are so many unwritten rules about your mate's ex it's a joke. Do you go there or do you avoid like AIDS? First up, do establish how much of a mate he is. **IF HE'S LIKE A BRO**, just don't go there. But if he's a mid-level **HIV MATE,** you're probably okay. Let him know first, to ensure there's no connection still there and that she hasn't got any STIs or worse still a wide-set vagina. **DON'T EVER PRY ABOUT WHAT HE WAS LIKE IN BED** or you might start picturing him when you are fucking. Don't compare yourself to him either, you don't need to know how big his cock is. **DO ALWAYS TELL THE TRUTH**, and when it comes to seeing your mate for the first time with her, don't bottle it.



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Route One has teamed up with Godmachine to produce this beaut. In case you don't know who Godmachine is, he's from South Wales, lives with his wife, two cats and epic beard. Now you're mates, check it out online.

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FALL AGAINST FATE

Like your experimental hardcore? Then check out Watford five-piece Fall Against Fate. Set to smash the Hertfordshire Metalfest into tiny little shards, make sure you head to the band's Facebook for ace tunes and merch.

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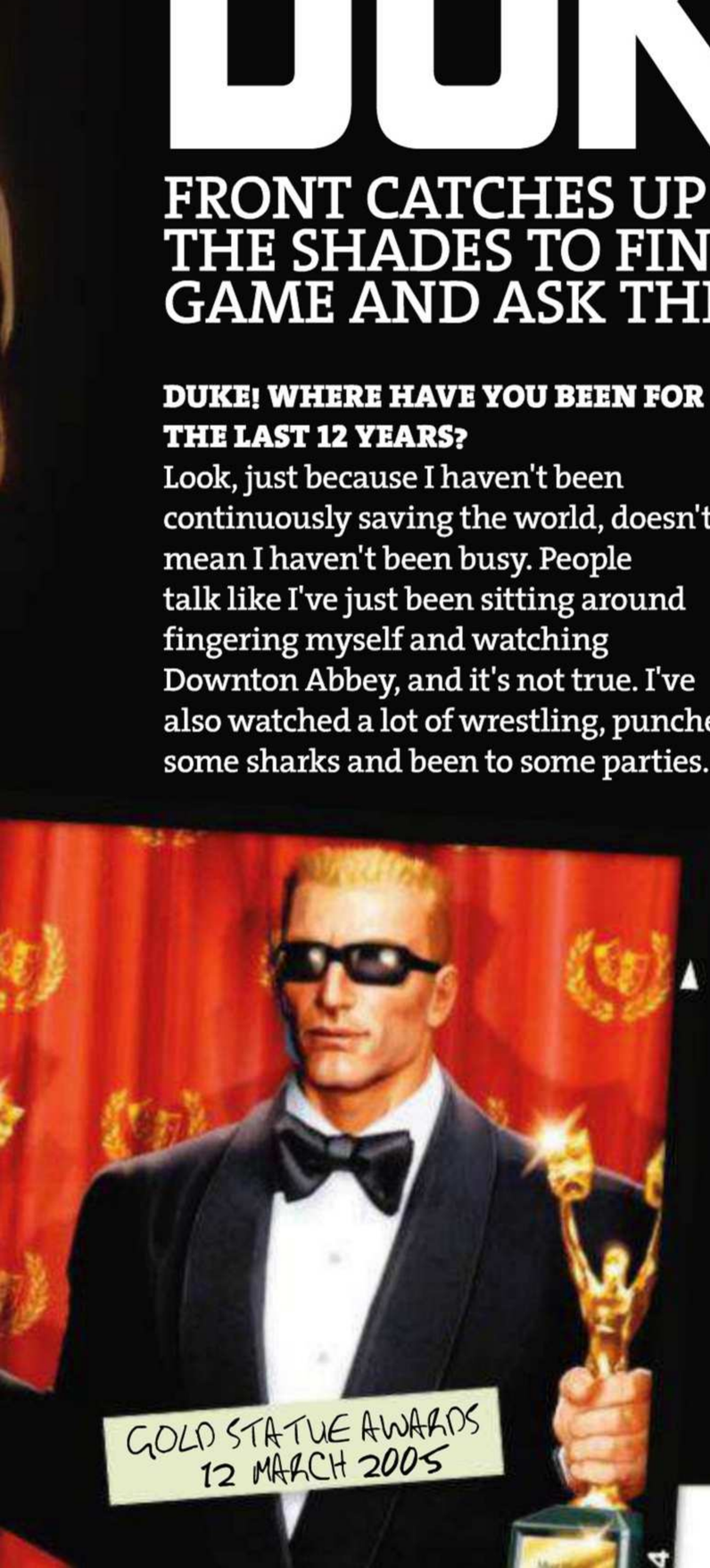
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"IT TOOK THREE YEARS JUST TO RENDER MY BICEPS"

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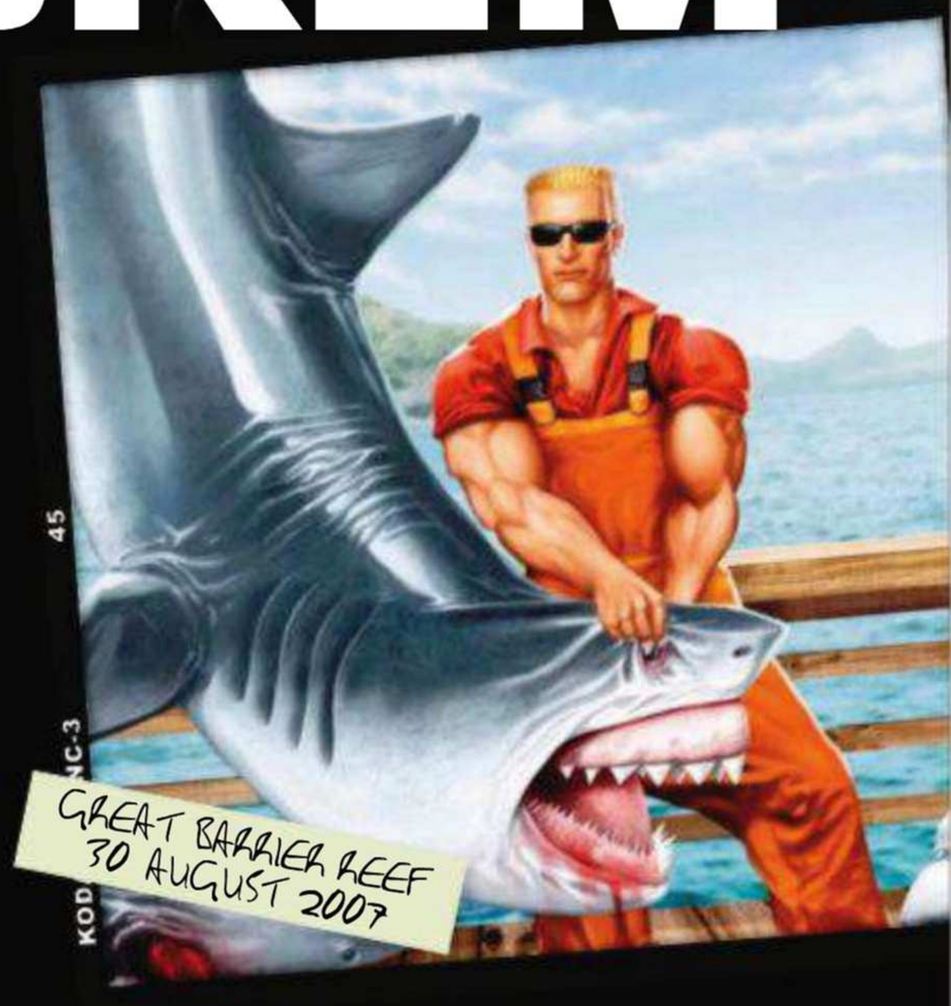
FRONT CATCHES UP WITH THE MAN BEHIND THE SHADES TO FIND OUT ABOUT HIS NEW GAME AND ASK THE BIG QUESTIONS

DUKE! WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN FOR THE LAST 12 YEARS?
Look, just because I haven't been continuously saving the world, doesn't mean I haven't been busy. People talk like I've just been sitting around fingering myself and watching Downton Abbey, and it's not true. I've also watched a lot of wrestling, punched some sharks and been to some parties.



DUKE NUKEM FOREVER WAS INITIALLY MEANT TO COME OUT IN 1998. HOW COME IT'S TAKEN THE DEVELOPERS SO LONG TO MAKE YOUR NEW GAME?
I'm a big guy. I heard three years of it was spent just rendering my biceps. A lot of the rest of it was spent downstairs, if you know what I mean. Equipment like this takes a lot of processing.

HAVE THE NUMEROUS DELAYS MEANT THE PRESSURE'S BEEN INCREASED, FOR THIS GAME TO REALLY RULE?
It meant that what they made had to be amazing ⑦if a baby's a dickhead, you can't give 'em too much shit, because they haven't had time to learn not to be a dickhead. An adult's had plenty of time to learn that, so you're allowed to do what you like ⑦that's why I have so many weapons. I'm pretty sure that's a fairly, if not very impressive metaphor.



ARE YOU FACING DIFFERENT CHALLENGES WITH THIS GAME THAN BACK IN THE DAY?
People expect a lot more from their entertainment these days. In the 1990s you didn't really have to offer that much ⑦you could give someone a floppy disc with a JPEG of a stripper on it and their mind would be blown. ▶

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Nowadays you can watch people eating each other's shit on your phone, even if you don't want to. I've had to move with the times.

HOW HAVE YOU MOVED WITH THE TIMES? DUKE 3D GOT CRITICISED FOR BEING OVERLY VIOLENT AND SEXIST – HAVE YOU MELLOWED OUT AND MATURED?

You know what happened when everyone got all nice and kind and sensitive? Hurricanes, terrorists and financial meltdown. Perhaps it's time everyone returned to a bit of gun-toting, beer-drinking ass-kicking. All I'm saying is, the last time anyone was really happy was when the most powerful man in the world was a funny dude with a cigar who liked getting his dick sucked.

A GENERATION HAS GROWN UP WITH YOU AS A ROLE MODEL. DOES THAT BRING A SENSE OF RESPONSIBILITY WITH IT?

I never presented myself as a role model. I don't kow what it is about a big, strong, badass, smoking, drinking, violent, ass-kicking, one-liner-spouting winner of everything it is that people find so inspiring.

FINALLY, WHY SHOULD EVERYONE BUY YOUR NEW GAME?

It's a good fucking game, and I'm in it, and if they don't, I'll introduce their faces to my good friends Big-Ass Foot 1 and Big-Ass Foot 2. I've stopped giving my body parts nicknames. I've matured. FRONT



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DUKE NUKEM FOREVER













RANDY PITCHFORD
GEARBOX SOFTWARE

HAS ANYONE WORKED OUT THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF MAN HOURS SPENT ON THIS GAME OVER THE PAST 14 YEARS?

There have been 300 different developers involved over the course of the project. There must have been 6,000 man months invested in it from start to finish.

HAVE YOU EVER SEEN THE FOURTH INDIANA JONES FILM? THIS WON'T BE SHIT LIKE THAT, RIGHT?

Duke Nukem Forever is the opposite of that.

IF SOMEONE READING THIS HAD NEVER PLAYED ANY OF THE DUKE NUKEM GAMES, HOW WOULD YOU PERSUADE THEM THAT THIS WAS FUCKING AMAZING?

I would say: 'Trust me, play the game. If you don't soon, one of your friends will and they will be the ones talking about it. If you play it first, you get to be in front of the 'AWESOME', instead of catching up.'

YOU'VE COME IN REASONABLY RECENTLY, AND PUT IN A BUNCH OF CASH TO DO SO. WHY?

I didn't like the idea of a world without Duke. I didn't like how that story was going to end with 3D Realms running out of money and Duke just being left to die. The first commercial video game I worked on as a professional game maker was when I moved to Dallas, Texas in the mid 1990s to join the Duke Nukem 3D team. A part of me feels that I owe Duke Nukem my career.

IF IT HAD COME OUT WHEN IT WAS FIRST INTENDED TO, HOW WOULD THINGS HAVE PROGRESSED? HAS THE DELAY JUST ADDED TO THE LEGEND?

If the game portrayed in the 1998 trailer had shipped that year, it would've been huge. If the game showed in the 2001 trailer had shipped, that would've been huge. However, I think it's fair to say that the story of the epically long game development has certainly contributed to his legend. If only we could create parallel universes in which to test such theories'

FOR MEN OF A CERTAIN AGE, THE STRIPPERS IN DUKE 3D WERE PRETTY IMPORTANT. IS THERE ANYTHING SIMILAR IN THIS?

We should remember that in this day and age we have more responsible parents and an age- rating system that is very effective. We also have this thing called the internet which turns our computers into a magic window of infinite deviancy if we choose to search for it, so we'll see.

AFTER THIS HAS COME OUT, SOLD A BILLION AND CHANGED THE WORLD, WHAT'S THE FUTURE FOR DUKE?

Given the history of the game, I don't think it's very responsible for us to spend mindshare on the future until we have this one taken care of. What I want is to finally play Duke Nukem Forever as if I'm a customer.

PUT ON YOUR SHADES AND PREPARE TO STEP INTO THE BOOTS OF DUKE NUKEM, WHOSE LEGEND HAS REACHED EPIC PROPORTIONS IN THE YEARS SINCE HIS LAST ADVENTURE.

COMING 10 JUNE

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REAR END

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FIRST-PERSON SHOOTER

BRINK

PC/360/PS3

NOW, WE ALL love a bit of FPS online multiplayer action, but they're not very team-friendly. Venture into the online FPS world alone and you're overrun by antisocial eight-year-old boys who will pwn your ass at any opportunity.

This is where Brink comes in. It is MEANT as a team game, so both campaign and multiplayer modes are melded together so you can't tell the difference between online and single-player. It's set in 'The Ark', a massive floating eco city, which was meant to house 5,000 but houses 50,000 after a worldwide catastrophe, pushing the city to the 'brink' of civil war.

You choose between Security or the Resistance, two opposing factions fighting over control of The Ark. According to your class (operative, medic, soldier, engineer), you'll have different goals to pursue, which all serve to advance a team goal.

Visually, the game is very distinctive, with its own colourful, brutally cartoon-like style, like a Garth Ennis comic. The characters have a feral, ratty appeal, and even have character customisation options like scars and pockmarks.

The build you choose for your character has a lot of bearing on the gameplay. The bigger you are, the more big guns you can carry, but it also makes you very slow. The lighter you are, the higher you can climb/slide and you're a lot faster. Anyway, these options add instant replay value as you try to figure out which is the best for you, and with up to eight-player co-op, this is a game you'll be playing for a while.

Out Now



IN A NUTSHELL

A SMART (HO HO, SEE WHAT WE DID THERE), FAST-PACED, GAME FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OF THE SOLO SNIPERS IN COD.

★★★★★

3 BEST BITS



SMART MOVEMENT

The one-button Smart Movement Across Random Terrain function helps you focus on the action. This makes the game quicker and more fun as you don't have to worry about platforming aspects, just shooting people and stuff.



DISTINCTIVE CHARACTERS

While the characters are quite ugly little blighters, the options to customise them are infinite, making them YOUR ugly littler blighters. You can even change their accent and give them tattoos.



CUSTOMISABILITY

There is a fluidity to the game, not just from the ease of movement, but also from how customisable everything is. From your character, to your gun, to your upgrades, everything is as changeable as your ex girlfriend's moods.

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RPG

LEGO PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN

360/WII/ PS3/DS/PC/3DS/PSP



REMEMBER LEGO? My first memory of lego is trying to make a giant cock out of it halfway through last week while out of my mind on Malibu. Which has rum in it. Which is what pirates drink tenuous links ahoy!

So yes, the most recent addition to the LEGO stable of movie games (joining Star Wars, Harry Potter, and Indiana Jones) is Pirates Of The Caribbean, which isn't surprising. Chronologically following the story of the films up until the forthcoming On Stranger Tides, the game features over 70 familiar faces from the film, including everyone's favourite drunken hero Jack Sparrow.

While massively addictive and fun, the LEGO games franchise has been accused of being slightly cookie-cutter in their approach to movie gaming tie-ins. However, with Pirates Of The Caribbean, they've broken the mould a bit by making the textures and settings of the game more realistic, while still retaining the elements of previous games like lots of interactivity, puzzles and COLLECTIBLES).

Out Now

IN A NUTSHELL

AS FUN AS A NIGHT OUT ON THE LASH WITH JACK SPARROW, WE IMAGINE.

★★★☆☆

GAMING NEWS



NEED FOR SPEED GOES ALL CANNONBALL RUN

The new NFS game, Need For Speed: The Run, is taking a leaf out of a young Burt Reynolds' book. It's gonna be based round a race across the USA, sort of like Cannonball Run or the Gumball 3000, while hopefully not like Rat Race, which was like, 20 years after Cannonball Run and was fucking shit. It looks like a whole buncha fun, and will be out in November.

HARDWARE

SONY ERICSSON XPERIA PLAY

360/PS3



NOT TO BE confused with Sony's forthcoming NGP, the Xperia PLAY is the first Playstation certified Android phone, which means it is basically like having a PS1 in your phone. It comes pre-installed with Crash Bandicoot as standard, a four-inch screen and proper console controls, it looks as slick as Rick James with a new weave. The flip-out gaming pad ensures that the PLAY still functions as a mobile phone without being too bulky, while its fast 1GHz processor and Adreno 205 graphics processor mean that its gaming capabilities are not to be sniffed at. Battery life is decent with over five hours play time which means that gaming won't drain your battery as much as *cough* the iPhone. The PLAY boasts over 60 games available at launch, which can be downloaded from the Android Market, including Need For Speed and Assassin's Creed.

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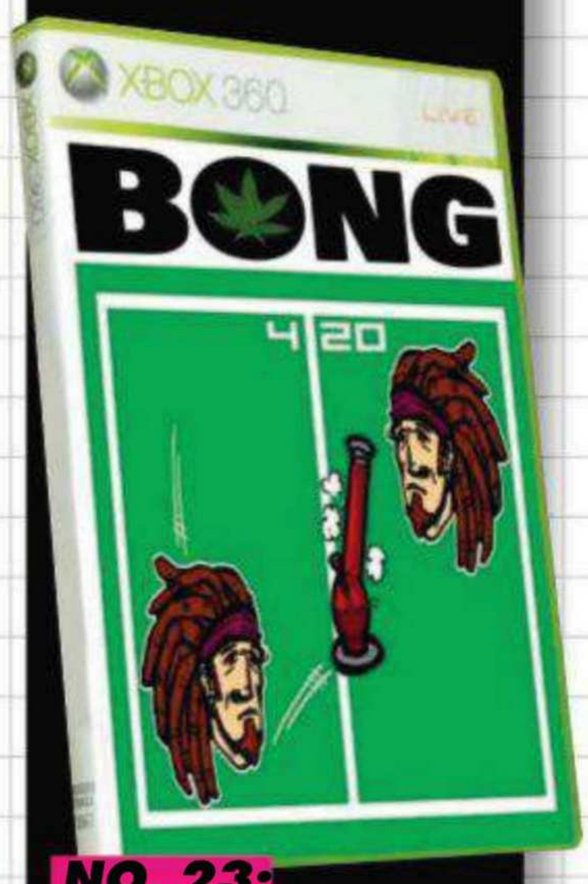
IN A NUTSHELL

A SOLID PIECE OF KIT AND AN AWESOME SMARTPHONE TO BOOT. WE LIKE.

★★★★☆



SIM-WISE'S GAMES I'D LIKE TO SEE



NO. 23: BONG

A reimagining of the Atari classic Pong, but with stoners bouncing around swapping alternate bong hits.

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POST-HARDCORE

DANANANANAYKROYD

THERE IS A WAY

HERE AT FRONT Acres, we loved Dananananaykroyd's debut album, Hey Everyone, so much, we actually wore the MP3s out from playing it so often. (It's true: if you play MP3s loads, they eventually wind up sounding like VHS cassettes that've been reused 500 times). We loved pretty much everything about them, from their madcap shouty lyrics to the fact that they had two drummers. The only thing we didn't love was how tricky it was to spell their ridonkulous name, but only because we were typing it out so often, on account of our all-consuming homosexual gay bum-bum love for them.

So, you can imagine how nervous we were about this follow-up. Could they recapture the magic? Could they maintain that demented energy? Would we still want them to break into our bedroom at night and make a baby grow in our bottom-hole? Happily, the answers were "Yes", "Yes", and "Yes, oh yes".

Released 13 June

IN A NUTSHELL

STILL FASTER, FUNNER, MADDER AND JUST PLAIN BETTER THAN PRETTY MUCH EVERY BAND OUT THERE.

★★★★★

THREE REASONS WHY DAN AYKROYD DESERVES TO HAVE A BAND NAMED AFTER HIM



1 YOUR HAMLINESS
As a kid in Canada, Aykroyd was expelled from his deeply Catholic high school for bringing in a pig dressed up as the Pope for show-and-tell.



2 MEGA LAFFZ
He starred in three of the greatest films of the '80s: Ghostbusters, The Blues Brothers and Trading Places. The latter film got him within sniffing distance of Jamie Lee Curtis's hamazing naked tits.

3 CUSACK KILLA
The bit where he sings "I'll be comin' round the mountain when I come!" in Grosse Pointe Blank is fucking leg-shittingly terrifying. Even though he's basically just some podgy old dude.



PICTURES: RETNA

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POST-HARDCORE

FUCKED UP
DAVID COMES TO LIFE

ASIDE FROM (OMG obvz!!1!) Justin Bieber, Fucked Up are the greatest thing to come out of Canada since frozen moose hockey syrup. Their third studio album isn't quite as awesome as 2008's fuckmazing The Chemistry Of Modern Life, but it's still pretty darn wizard if you enjoy two-fisted experimental punk rock. There's a story running through David..., but we were too busy moshing like retarded apes to follow it.

Released 7 June

IN A NUTSHELL

MASSIVE OF BEARD AND MASSIVER OF BALLS. FUCKED UP FUCKED UP FUCKING UP!

★★★★☆



POST-ROCK

ASIWYFA
GANGS

THE WHOLE incredibly-long-acronym band-name game has shifted up a gear lately, what with nutty New York hip-hoppers OFWGKTA and Belfast noise-rockers ASIWYFA (And So I Watch You From Afar). Our new band is going to be called SORLTYHTPSOIYH (AKA Series Of Random Letters That You Have To Painstakingly Spell Out In Your Head). Anyway, TIWG (this is well good).

Out now

IN A NUTSHELL

NOISY-ARSE INSTRUMENTAL GNARL-ROCK WITH WIDDLY DIDDLING.

★★★★☆

HARDCORE

TOUCHE AMORE
PARTING THE SEA BETWEEN BRIGHTNESS AND ME

DO YOU LIKE The Bronx? Do you enjoy their pulverising-yet-tuneful old-skool hardcore riffs, and sandpaper-rough vocals that make you worry for the health of the frontman's throat? Then you'll probably love Californian punkers, Touche Amore. And if you don't, you've got The Bronx confused with another band. Maybe it's The Wanted? Who's your favourite? Is it Nathan?

Released 7 June

IN A NUTSHELL

BETTER THAN THE WANTED, AND THAT'S FUCKING SAYING SOMETHING.

★★★★☆



FURTHER LISTENINGS



INDIE

TELLISON
THE WAGES OF FEAR

These days, indie has a bit of a bad name, thanks to the likes of Mumford & Sons turning it into the sort of sappy blah-meh cack that gets played over the opening montage of Hollyoaks. But in the right hands, indie can still rock like a pissed-up angry pirate ☺as these noisy London chimps prove.

Released 13 June

★★★☆☆

PUNK

BEATSTEAKS
BOOMBOX



German punkers Beatsteaks (yeah it's a terrible name, just ignore it if you can) go for broke with a sixth album full of mahoosive hooks and festival-sized choruses. If they were British or American, Boombox (yeah it's a terrible name, just ignore it if you can) would make 'em megastars. As it is, they're probably doomed to forever be ☺big on the blogs', i.e. ☺beloved but skint'.

Out now

★★★☆☆

POST-HARDCORE

FLIGHTS
FLIGHTS



You'd think in 2011, bands would be adept at picking Google-able names. Search for Flights and all you get is a barrage of offers to whizz off to Majorca for 20 quid. 179,000,000 results! You may as well call your band Teen Anal. Anyway, never mind: this is quality, epic, mathematicky hardcore for gloomy astrophysicists to get pissed to.

Released 30 May

★★★★☆

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DVD

DRAMA

SCREWED

JAMES D'ARCY, NOEL CLARKE

AHH, NOTHING quite says "summer's here" like a gentle bumming in the shower or an unexpected boiling water attack, so what perfect timing for a gritty slice of harsh prison life, eh?

This tidy effort was adapted from a book documenting the grisly life of a long-serving prison guard called Ronnie Thomson, so the whole thing is semi-biographical, although clearly peppered up to the tits with added drama.

Taking a break from writer/director mode, rising UK movie wiz Noel 'Kidulthood' Clarke puts in a shithot performance as an inmate called Truman, and the rest of the cast is a who's-who of 'ard bastards and wrong 'uns, which is all rather enjoyable, if we're honest. Sometimes you need a good harsh flick like this to remind you that you really wouldn't want to actualy end up in the slammer. Especially with your gag reflex, Sonny Jim.

Out 4 June

IN A NUTSHELL

SHAWSHANK MINUS THE REDEMPTION.

4/5

Q&A NOEL CLARKE ACTOR

HI NOEL, SO WHAT'S GOING DOWN IN SCREWED?

Well, it's a prison film I'm in where I play a nasty villain who perpetrates the most nefarious activities. I've not played a villain this horrible before, and to be honest, I quite enjoyed it.

YOU USED SOME MIGHTY POSH WORDS THERE – IN OTHER WORDS, IT'S AS BLEAK AS A BUMMING IN THE SHOWERS...

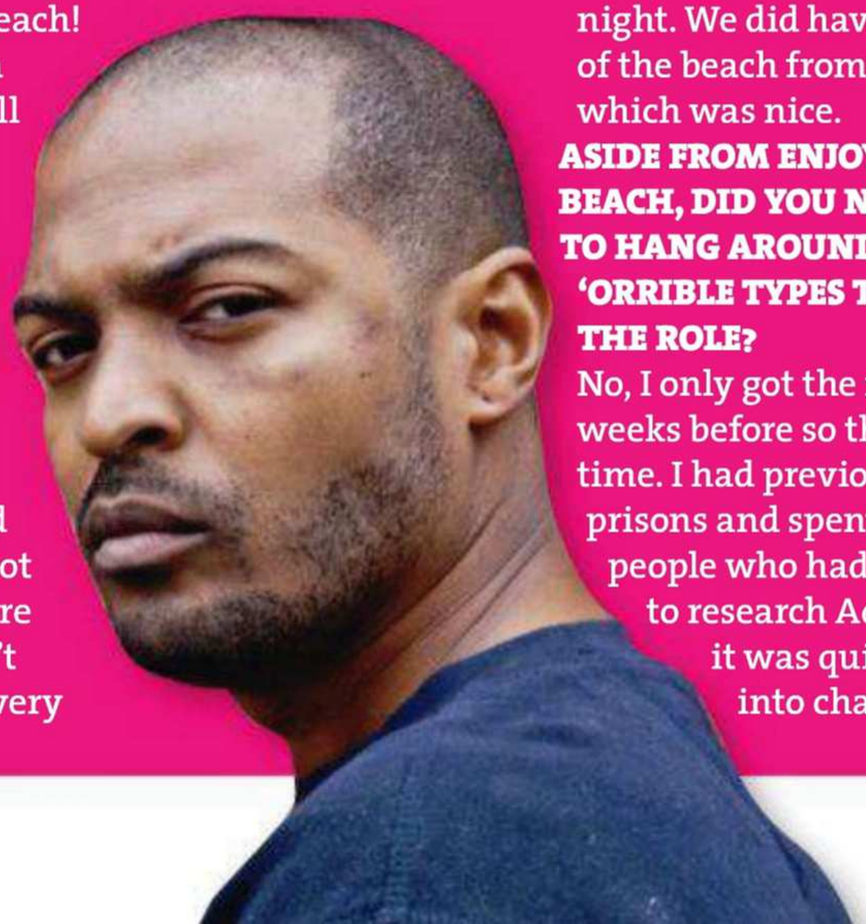
[Laughs] It's in prison so it's not exactly sunshine on the beach! But it is a story of triumph over adversity so it's not all bleak. Plus, we see quite a bit of Kate Magowan so that's always good.

TOO RIGHT. SO DID YOU FILM IT IN A REAL PRISON? IT LOOKS VERY, ER, AUTHENTIC.

Yeah, we filmed in a prison in Scarborough and had to stay up there for a lot of it. Most of the locals were pretty friendly but I wasn't exactly out on the town every night. We did have a good view of the beach from the hotel, which was nice.

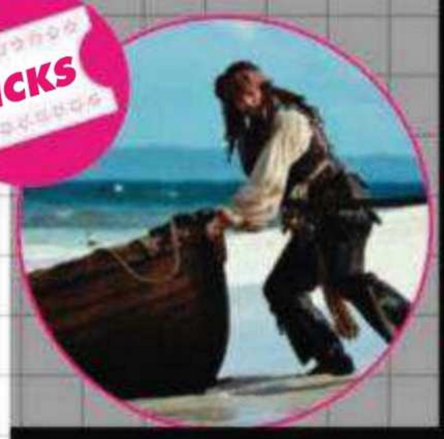
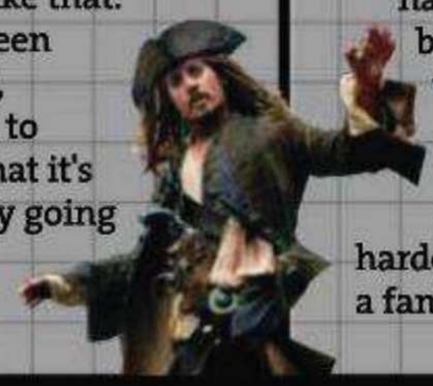
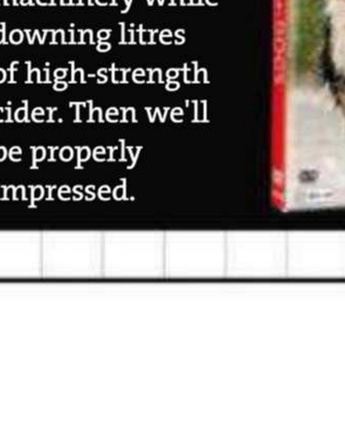
ASIDE FROM ENJOYING THE BEACH, DID YOU NOT HAVE TO HANG AROUND WITH ANY 'ORRIBLE TYPES TO PREP FOR THE ROLE?

No, I only got the role a few weeks before so there wasn't time. I had previously visited prisons and spent time with people who had been in prison to research Adulthood, so it was quite easy to get into character.



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ALSO OUT

WHO? WHY? WHAT?	WHAT YOU'LL LIKEY...	IN A NUTSHELL
PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN 4: ON STRANGER TIDES *Starring: Johnny Depp looking drunk the whole time* *In Cinemas 18 May* FLICKS 	Like with all big-budget rating-shitters, we weren't allowed to see preview screenings of this film in case it ends up being shite and we tell everyone not to see it. They're funny like that. We've seen enough, though, to know that it's probably going to be ace. 	Unless you're some sort of deranged oddball, you'll be accustomed to the sort of silly-as-shit action that goes hand in hand with this franchise. This one has the added bonus of 3D, which'll make Penelope Cruz's busty outfit even harder to watch in a family cinema.	SWASH-BUCKLING SILLY BUGGERS AT THEIR FINEST, PROBABLY fuck knows 1/5
TREME, SEASON ONE *Starring: New Orleans* *Out 30 May* DVD 	One of the flagship HBO shows of Sky Atlantic trumpets its way onto DVD, telling tales from the post-Katrina residents of one of the Big Easy's worst-affected neighborhoods.	If you were into The Wire for it's sloooowww pace and intricate plot, then this warts 'n' all aftermath story will float your boat. 	REBUILDING NEW ORLEANS ONE TRUMPET AT A TIME 4/5
THE MECHANIC *Starring: Jason Statham's shiny head* *Out: 6 June* DVD 	Now then, are you sitting down? We have a shock for you. Jason Statham stars in this testosterone-pumped romp as a burly hitman with an inner softie. 	What's not to likey about a Statham brand flick? He's the doner kebab of movie making: You know you really shouldn't, and it's better enjoyed pissed, but you do enjoy it.	STATHAM HAMMING IT UP AS A FRUITY BALLET DANCER. JOKE! 3/5
TRUE BLOOD, SEASON 3 *Starring: Anna Paquin Out 23 May* DVD 	Quite the opposite of Treme, although not a million miles away geographically, it's all gone batshit crazy in the sleepy Louisiana hamlet of Ben Temps, as telly's sexiest supernaturals return for a third season.	If you were hooked by all that went on in season two you'll proper dig the pace that season three dives right into. 	VAMPIRE FODDER THAT DOESN'T SUCK 3/5

WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE PRISON FLICK?

A Prophet. The lead is actor in that film is awesome. I'd love him to be in one of my films one day.

AND FINALLY, IF YOU WERE TO ESCAPE FROM THE BIG HOUSE, WHAT WOULD BE YOUR PREFERRED METHOD?

A-Team style. A big van drives through the front gates to bust me out, drives off a cliff and we parachute on to a boat. No tunneling through shit for me.

SWERVE THIS

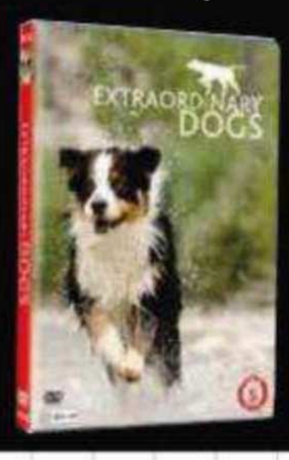
WAKING THE DEAD 9

How this mum-pleasing shit managed to limp on for nine seasons, we'll never know. You'd actually be more entertained going to a real-life mortuary. Don't worry, we checked with the NHS and it's fine to do so.



EXTRAORDINARY DOGS

They say extraordinary, but these are just dogs who've rescued their divvy owners, and stuff. Make a DVD about dogs who play pool, and gamble, and operate heavy machinery while downing litres of high-strength cider. Then we'll be properly impressed.



REAR END

★ GAMES
★ MUSIC
★ FILMS
★ SKIDMARKS

NEW M5
£70K+

THE MUCH ANTICIPATED new M5 has finally been unveiled, and although it's only a concept, we're told this is how the production car will actually look. The old screaming 500bhp V10 is dead, replaced by a stonking 4.4ltr twin-turbo V8 from the X6 M. BMW is staying tight-lipped about exact power, but the X6 M has a rubber-burning 547bhp, so expect even more than that, and a manual gearbox, too. No word on the price yet, but expect the big Bimmer to set you back £70k-plus when it goes on sale later this year. If you're looking for the ultimate four-door motor that'll do licence-losing speeds of 200mph top end and smokey sideways actions, then this super saloon is right up your street.

IN A NUTSHELL

FOUR-DOOR FERRARI KILLER.

SPECS

- **ENGINE** 4.4LTR TWIN-TURBO V8
- **POWER** 550+BHP (EST)
- **0-62MPH** 4SEC (EST)
- **TOP SPEED** 155MPH (LIMITED)

GEIGER MUSTANG SHELBY GT640
£90K



THE MUSTANG is a legend, but it's always left looking like a bit of a hillbilly next to sophisticated Italian supercars. That said, this latest model has enough grunt to get the likes of Ferrari running scared. Geiger Cars have added a supercharger to the 5.4ltr V8, which helps it kick out a walloping 637bhp. That's enough to wang it to 60mph in just 3.7sec and on to a top speed of 183mph. The 'Stang also gets a load of cool styling additions including a carbon fibre bonnet with vents to feed cold air to the engine and 20in rims. It's not very high tech, but sweet jeebers it's fast.

IN A NUTSHELL

GERMAN-TUNED YANK SLEDGEHAMMER.

SPECS

- **ENGINE** 5.4LTR SUPERCHARGED V8
- **POWER** 637BHP
- **0-62MPH** 3.7SEC
- **TOP SPEED** 183MPH

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THREE MORE M-POWER BIMMERS THAT WON'T BREAK THE BANK



BMW E39 M5

How does a 400bhp, RWD, four-door weapon sound? Pick up one of these high-revving V8 super saloons for just £8k. They look discreet, so most people won't know how much power you've got under you.

Price: £8k

BMW E36 M3

Bag an early M3 for as little as £3k. With a sweet 3ltr engine, they have plenty of scope for getting it sideways on roundabouts.

Price: £3k





BMW M6

These 500bhp V10-powered monsters were over £70k new. Now, for under £25k, you get a proper sports coupe with one of the best-sounding engines ever made.

Price: £25k

SKIDS NEWS



ICE SPEED RECORD

Bentley has set a new speed record of 204mph – on ice! Ex rally champion Juha Kankkunen set the record in a £181k Supersports pimped with winter tyres, a serious roll cage and a parachute on a frozen lake in Finland. Damn.



MINI CAB!

A Chinese taxi driver had to be rescued after his drunken passenger told him to drive down some steps. The mullered chap then told the driver it was his fault, before nicking his takings and doing a runner.

ALFA 4C

£45K



IT'S BEEN SAID that to be a true petrolhead you need to have owned at least one Alfa, and the new 4C is a genuine trouser-worrier. Look at it! The sleek coupe, influenced by the limited edition 8C, is one of the best-looking cars we've ever seen. Underneath, there's a mid-mounted 2ltr turbo lump that should be good for 250bhp plus. And given that it should weigh the same as a Lotus Elise, ensuring it will indeed be fookin' rapid. Set for production next year, the new Alfa should be an instant hit ☺ so long as it goes as well as it looks.

SPECS

- **ENGINE** 2LTR FOUR CYLINDER TURBO
- **POWER** 250+BHP (EST)
- **0-62MPH** 5SEC (EST)
- **TOP SPEED** 160MPH

IN A NUTSHELL

BEST NEW ALFA FOR YEARS – WE WANT ONE!

Retro RIDE



NO. 14: JAGUAR XJ6

There's something so right about an old Jag. Sure a Merc or BMW would piss all over it, but they don't have the faded grandeur of a Shaguar. Pick up a 1990 4ltr for under a grand and you'll get a smooth ride, lazy auto gearbox, loads of wood and leather and a big V8 to push it around. Just don't go too far in it, unless you own your own petrol pump.

Specs

- **ENGINE** 4LTR V8
- **POWER** 225BHP
- **0-62MPH** 7.1SEC
- **TOP SPEED** 140MPH

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THE FRONT MANIFESTO

THE INDEPENDENT MAG

FRONT is not owned by some evil corporation, although sometimes we wish it was because then we might have toilet paper in our bogs. On the plus side, it means we don't have to listen to people in suits telling us to put Mika felching a disabled donkey on the cover.
We listen only to you, our semi-deranged-yet-genius readers.

FRONT IS NOT A LADS' MAG

Lads' mags are, like, so 1994 – a gentler time before global terrorism, when you could leave a £50 note in a pub and it would still be there a week later (with interest). FRONT is a mag for true legends, who when staring death in the face shake it by the hand and proclaim, "Gaylords say what?"

NO FAKE BOOBS

That's right, readers: all boobs in FRONT are as real as the air we breathe. Whether they're part of a lovely lady or hanging from a fat sweaty dude, they're bona fide genuine and will not explode at high altitude.

WE HEAR YOUR PAIN

Your comments, letters, e-mails and texts: we fucking love 'em all. Whether it's through the mag or on the website, tell us what you want to see in FRONT and we'll pull out our finger and get it done. We won't even stop to wipe the sweetcorn bits off first.

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THE C★NTDOWN

1. **CHRIS TARRANT** – OUR-FINAL-ANSWER-IS-THAT-YOU'RE-A-CUNT CUNT.
2. **LORD VOLDEMORT** – Teenager-bothering no-nose albino cunt. ▼
3. **JUSTIN BIEBER** – Lego-for-hair, shit-for-brains cunt. ▼
4. **GILLETTE PROGLIDE CUNT** – Don't-surprise-people-in-the-bog cunt. ▲
5. **GINO D'ACAMPO** – Sillya accenteda cunta. ▲
6. **EDWARD CULLEN** – Vegetarian cunt. ▲
7. **ROBERT PATTINSON** – Elephant-watering, Reese Witherspoon-fondling cunt. ▲
8. **THE FUNKY PIGEON** – Cunty-pigeon-more-like cunt. ▼
9. **BONO** – Shades-toting, fuck-faced, cunt-hatted cunt. ◀
10. **SAFESTYLE CUNT** – Window-licking, bargain-wielding cunt. NEW ENTRY ▼

SAFESTYLE CUNT

YES



I nominate the "You buy one, you get one free" bearded cunt from the Safestyle window advert. Why doesn't he fuck off back to his greenhouse and die a depressingly slow death? I wish I could punch him in his stupid cunting face.
Lex, Jonathan and Chloe, via text

Yes, yes, absolutely. This cunt's been cropping up on TV for something like twenty years, and the amount of tellies that have been kicked in due to his cunt face must be astronomical by now. What's also impressive is how it took three of you to write this. Onto the Cuntdown, Safestyle cunt!

MEARS

Can someone please put Ray Mears on the Cuntdown? He's a festering, untalented cunt, supposed to be surviving with the bare essentials, yet he brings the entire contents of B&Q with him. He couldn't survive a fucking mild southwesterly wind. He is indeed a cunt and the world should know it. Righteous.
Johnny, pissed off in Holland, via text

Really, Dutch Johnny? Ray Mears is the uncle everyone wishes they had – a fattish, jolly Boy Scout of a man, wearing short shorts when there's no need to and using the word "bivouac" too often. Our uncle's a bald, shouting racist – if he was more famous, we'd slap him up there on the top ten. But Mears is no



TARRANT

I would like to make a formal suggestion that you put Chris Tarrant in the Cuntdown. The patronising, condescending cunt deserves to be Number One in the list for the foreseeable future. I ask you, have you ever seen anybody else on TV that makes you want to punch yourself in the eyes and cut your ears off, just to stop having to see and listen?
Anonymous, via text

You know what, nameless texter, we don't think Tarrant's ever been at the top of the chart. Austistic nerds, feel free to write in and correct us, but we don't think so, and that's LUNACY. He's a fucking cunt, the most pleased-with-himself motherfucker ever. In at one, Tarrant, y'shit!

JUDY

Right, if this doesn't go on the Cuntdown I'm gonna go to the States and kill this fucker. JUDGE FUCKING PLASTIC-FACED JUDY – not only is she a yank, she's a cheeky cunt, telling grown-ups how to stand, accompanied by her silly mate who laughs when she cracks a shitty comment. How is this cunt on TV?
Lee, from Skelmersdale

Oh, come on, Lee. Judge Judy is one of the cornerstones of shitty daytime telly. Without her, you'd have to watch one more episode of Cash In The Fucking Attic or a Jeremy Kyle repeat. Watching an old lady tearing a fat dude to shreds is definitely much better than either of those cunts.

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MASTERCHEF LADY

You know who gets on my tits? That fanny voiceover cunt from MasterChef. She whispers loudly! Why? You might as well talk, you fucking bawbag! I'm sure she's a nice lady in real life and I'd probably put my wee willy winky into her bum, but for my sanity, put her on the Cuntdown.
Kerr, from Cumbernauld

As ridiculous as her high-volume whispering is, Kerr, it seems a bit harsh to call the MasterChef lady a C-word. John Torode's clearly the biggest cunt on that show, the dingo-fucking Australian shit-head.



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eating impression at 4:30 AM

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